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Rescuers Seek Air Crew On Storm-Swept Glacier

Hope Is Held Some Of 9 Men May Be Alive

Weather Stalls One Rescue Team For 14 Hours

REYKJAVIK, Iceland, Dec. 19—UP—A raging arctic storm Saturday night lashed mile-high Myrdalsjokull glacier where rescue teams gambled with death to rescue survivors of a wrecked United States Navy plane.

The twin-engined Neptune patrol plane with nine men aboard, crashed into the ice mountain Thursday. Search craft sighted the wreckage Friday and reported "several survivors."

But the driving sleet storm cloaked the fate of the reported survivors and the progress of the rescuers. No plane could long survive in the storm that broke over the glacier and progress of the land parties was not expected to be known until they had descended from the high frozen world of rounded ice domes and billowy snowfields sheathing the glacier.

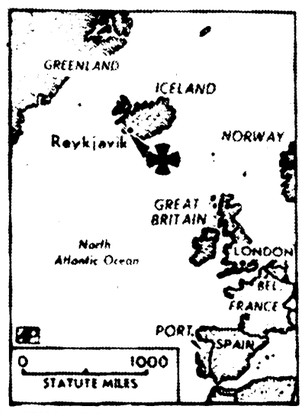
Headquarters of the 53rd Air Rescue Squadron at Keflavik said survivors had been sighted by the crew of an American plane that spotted the wreckage through a hole in the clouds shrouding Myrdalsjokull.

But American officials said it was impossible to determine how many of the nine crewmen survived the crash 4,000 feet up the glacier.

Yet there were definite signs of life. Crewmen in search planes saw two flashes of reddish-orange light illuminate the lofty ice field, similar to the distress rockets carried by the patrol plane.

The officials said the condition of the wreckage indicated a good chance for survivors. It appeared the pilot had attempted to crash-land on the pitted ice on the glacier that stretches 40 miles long and 10 miles wide just inland from Iceland's southcentral coast.

An Air Force SA-16 Albatross amphibian plane dropped medical supplies, food and other survival equipment at the scene of the crash Friday. Rescue land parties were formed on an emergency basis to attempt to save the survivors before they succumbed to the killing cold.



WHERE NAVY PLANE LOCATED—This map locates the point where wreckage of a U. S. Navy bomber was located by an air rescue squadron on the snowy wastes of a glacier about 110 miles southeast of Reykjavik, capital of Iceland. Ground rescue squads last night were attempting to reach reported survivors from the crew of nine. (AP Wirephoto Map)

Dock Workers To Choose Between Fueding Unions

NEW YORK, Dec. 19 (AP) — The 22,000 dock workers of the Port of New York are slated to choose in an election Tuesday and Wednesday between two feuding unions. But whether the outcome will bring waterfront peace remains to be seen.

Even the setting of an election date — a move intended by the National Labor Relations Board to avert a Christmas Eve strike that would paralyze the harbor — set off a storm.

Spruille Braden, chairman of the city's Anti-Crime Committee, appealed to President Eisenhower to call off the balloting, although it is questionable whether the President has any authority to do so.

12-Year-Old Boy Hit By Car Here

A 12-year-old Monroe boy was injured yesterday evening when struck by an auto at the intersection of South Second Street and Winnsboro Road.

Woodie Mahoney, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Mahoney, Bernstein Park road, was struck by a car driven by Kenneth B. Hale, 37, of Rt. 1 Calhoun, about 7:40 p.m. Investigating officers reported the youth, while attempting to cross the road, ran into the path of the vehicle.

The youth was taken to St. Francis Sanitarium by Mulhearn ambulance. Last night the extent of his injuries was not known.

Elizabeth Uses Fingers To Eat Suckling Pig

NUKUALOFA, Tonga Islands, Dec. 19 (AP)—Britain's Queen Elizabeth II sat cross-legged today in the palace of her friend, Queen Salote of Tonga, and ate roast-suckling pig with her fingers.

Elizabeth and her husband, the Duke of Edinburg—en route to New Zealand on their world tour—stopped over at this British protectorate in the South Pacific to visit 6 feet 3 Salote, the only other woman ruler in the British Commonwealth.

High spot of the day was the luncheon feast at Salote's palace. In accordance with the traditions of Tonga, known as the Friendly Islands, the royal guests sat cross-legged on cushions before long tables and partook with their fingers of roast pig, lobster, duck, chicken and an assortment of native fruit.

As the feast proceeded, Tongan girls brought around gourd finger bowls. Natives fanned the guests to ward off the tropical heat.

Afterward, hundreds of spear-wielding warriors and graceful young girls staged a dance in Elizabeth's honor.

There was an embarrassing moment this evening when the electric lights failed while Elizabeth and her husband were dining at the British residency. Kerosene lamps were hurriedly substituted.

Tonight the royal pair slept at Salote's palace while 400 Tongans with flaming coconut fibre torches stood guard.

The Queen and the Duke arrived by plane from Suva this morning in a rain, reminiscent of the downpour which marked the coronation of Elizabeth in London last June 2. On that occasion, Queen Salote captured British hearts by driving drenched but smiling in an open coach during the coronation procession.

Mercury Rising After Cold Snap

By UNITED PRESS

Temperatures climbed Saturday in the wake of a cold wave which chilled the eastern half of the nation.

Generally fair weather prevailed over most of the country, and temperatures in the Midwest were considerably higher.

The warming trend set in Friday over the northern plains area from the Dakotas eastward to the upper Great Lakes and southward to Oklahoma and Arkansas.

Minimum temperatures during the night were 15 to 25 degrees higher than Friday morning from the Dakotas southeastward to the Ohio and central Mississippi Valleys and southward into Oklahoma.

Burlington, Ia., which reported a low of three degrees above zero Friday morning, had a low of 29 Saturday.

Temperatures began the upward trend on the East Coast, which had been blanketed for several days by a cold Canadian air mass.

Weapon Jammed And Intruder Ran

New Iberia Police Seek Masked Man Who Fired Pistol In Family Home

NEW IBERIA, La., Dec. 19—UP—Police here Saturday sought a young gunman who opened fire in a home while trying to convince two men he was serious about robbing them, then ran out the door and hopped in a car where a confederate was waiting.

Mrs. Vernon Donovan told police that the abortive holdup began when she opened the door of the Lewis Oubre home and a man with a handkerchief over his face and wearing white gloves entered and shoved a pistol in her back.

Mrs. Donovan said her husband and Oubre were watching television and paid little attention when the man yelled that it was a stickup.

"Take it easy, man," Oubre said. "What you need is a good drink. Let me fix one for you."

"Yes, fix me one, and you better make it a good one because this is really a stickup," the robber was quoted as replying.

The gun went off and sounded like the "explosion of a firecracker," Oubre said, and he moved toward the intruder when he realized it was a holdup.

"His gun was apparently jammed," Oubre said. "He finally turned around and ran from the house. A car with the motor running was waiting outside."

Also Friday night, the offices of the Iberia Building Association were ransacked, but only about $2 in petty cash was reported taken.

Police said that entrance was gained by breaking the glass in a back window. All the drawers in the building were searched by the thieves.

Three Local Men Vice-Presidents Of Corporation

E. S. Coldwell, of New York, president of Ford, Bacon and Davis Construction Corp., announced here last night at the annual Christmas party the appointments of three local men as vice-presidents of the company.

The three new vice - presidents were announced by Coldwell as George O. Phillips, to head local activities of the company; John E. Baugh, to head all construction activities; Durwood X. Ellett, to head all engineering work for the corporation.

The three men will assume their new duties January 1, 1954.

Charles C. Whittlesley, executive vice - president, will continue to be responsible for the corporation's activities, but will move his base of operations from Monroe to New York City, where the main offices of the parent company are located. Mr. Whittelsey is also a vice-president of the parent company, and a director and member of the executive committee.

Mr. Phillips, who is to assume his new duties as director of local activities for the corporation, is a native Louisianan and has been with the company since 1934. He and his family reside at 507 Glenmar and his son, Charles Phillips, is a student at Louisiana Tech.

The new vice - president in charge of the corporations engineering activities, Mr. Ellett, has been an employee of Ford, Bacon and Davis since 1941. A native of Illinois he has lived here for quite some time and resides with his family at 2409 Trenton in West Monroe. He has two children, John Ellett, a student at Louisiana Tech and Jo Marie Ellett, a student at Stevens College in Missouri.

Mr. Baugh, who is very active in civic work, resides at 1107 North Third Street and has three children: John Baugh, Jr., Marion and Gertrude Baugh. He has been with the corporation since 1927 and is a native of Oklahoma.

Jes' Ramblin'

Mrs. J. N. Riddle, of the League of Women Voters, and also a teacher in Lida Benton school, states that she sees great good being accomplished through the use of the T. B. Christmas seals. "Everyone should do all he or she can to aid in the warfare on this disease," she assured. "At the Lida Benton School, we are doing all we can to acquaint the children with the need of their cooperation so

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Senate Probers To Quiz Former U. S. Diplomat

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19—UP—Senate investigators disclosed Saturday that they will question Spruille Braden, former assistant secretary of state, in New York next Tuesday about the Harry Dexter White spy case.

Robert Morris, chief counsel for the internal security subcommittee, said the hearings will be open to the public.

Justice Department records show that Braden was one of a number of Truman administration officials who received a confidential FBI summary in November, 1945 which listed White as a member of a Soviet espionage ring.

Braden has been quoted as saying he recalled no derogatory information about White. White died in 1948, a week after denying at a congressional hearing that he was ever a Communist or a spy.

Attorney General Herbert Brownell Jr. has cited White's "promotion" from assistant secretary of the treasury to a top post on the International Monetary Fund as showing Mr. Truman's blindness to the Communist threat. Mr. Truman has said he moved White to the monetary fund to keep him under surveillance, but FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover has said the switch made it more difficult to keep tabs on him.

Military Budget Cuts To Scale Down Army's Size

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19 (AP)—Last-minute revisions in the military budget tentatively approved by President Eisenhower are expected to cut Army manpower strength back even further than initially proposed by the Defense Department—to a level of about 1,165,000 by July 1, 1955.

Army officials had argued strenuously against the original Defense Department request that they attempt to trim down to about 1,281,000 men by then.

Army personnel experts had agreed only reluctantly with the belief of the over-all Defense Department chiefs that even the first proposal for an approximate 10 per cent cut to about 1,281,000 soldiers could be met without serious impact on troop strength in critical areas overseas.

Present strength of the Army is a little under 1½ million.

Usually well informed sources indicated today the final budget recommendations taken to Eisenhower carried a cut which would be nearer to 18 per cent. Secretary of the Army Stevens asked by reporters about the new cutback, hastily replied only that "I can't comment at all."

Although Eisenhower is reported to have given tentative approval to the general military budget, which includes the lower Army figures, and the first pages of the bulky document has gone to the Government Printing Office to be prepared for submission to Congress, changes still can be made as late as Dec. 28.

13 Escape From Penitentiary; 6 Recaptured

Michigan State Institution Is Scene Of Break

JACKSON, Mich., Dec. 19 (AP)—Thirteen long - term convicts escaped through a tunnel from Southern Michigan Prison tonight and three hours later state police reported five had grabbed two girls as hostages and were fleeing toward Indiana.

The thirteen had terrorized a home earlier, taking a pistol and civilian clothing and stealing an automobile in which they fled.

Six had been recaptured when state police reported the grabbing of the girl hostages by five who had stolen a 1952 beige-colored Cadillac (license K2534) and had inquired the way to Indiana on M60 to the southwest.

Five were caught as their car, into which state police were pumping bullets, careened into a ditch on M50 near Napoleon, Mich., 12 miles southeast of Jackson. The sixth was picked up near there an hour later.

It was the first tunnel escape in the history of the prison, the world's largest walled penitentiary and scene of two bloody prisoner uprisings in 1952.

The convicts fled through a drain tunnel, using a makeshift acetelyne torch to cut three steel-bar gates. They sneaked into the tunnel from the prison cannery during a recreation period and left it 250 feet outside the east wall.

Ten men were found missing at the 6:30 p.m. check and while a routine check was being made of the big prison state police warned that between 12 and 14 convicts had terrorized a home.

Deputy Warden Charles Cahill threw a guard outside the prison walls. The tunnel-escape then was discovered.

Glenn McMillan, who lives a half-mile from the prison, alerted state police when he reported that several convicts had invaded his home.

McMillan said "they busted it in" before tying up him and his wife, taking his pistol and fleeing in his car.

McMillan thought there were 12 to 14 in the group.

The escape by a tunnel under the walls was discovered as the prison began a quick check of its approximately 5,000 inmates.

Five of the six who fled in the car were arrested by pursuing Jackson County sheriff's deputies when it went out of control and overturned on M50 near Napoleon, 12 miles southeast of Jackson.

State police quoted those captured as saying 13 had fled the prison.

Four were captured as they crawled from the wrecked car. Two fled, but one of them was picked up shortly afterward by the pursuing deputies.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Peck	10.00
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Unless we go farther and faster with money, we shall be confronted by a gloomy Christmas day! One

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INSURE YOUR FUTURE, PROTECT OUR FORESTS

Rescuers Seek Air Crew On Storm-Swept Glacier

Hope Is Held Some Of 9 Men May Be Alive

Weather Stalls One Rescue Team For 14 Hours

REYKJAVIK, Iceland, Dec. 19—UP—A raging arctic storm Saturday night lashed mile-high Myrdalsjokull glacier where rescue teams gambled with death to rescue survivors of a wrecked United States Navy plane.

The twin-engined Neptune patrol plane with nine men aboard, crashed into the ice mountain Thursday. Search craft sighted the wreckage Friday and reported "several survivors."

But the driving sleet storm cloaked the fate of the reported survivors and the progress of the rescuers. No plane could long survive in the storm that broke over the glacier and progress of the land parties was not expected to be known until they had descended from the high frozen world of rounded ice domes and billowy snowfields sheathing the glacier.

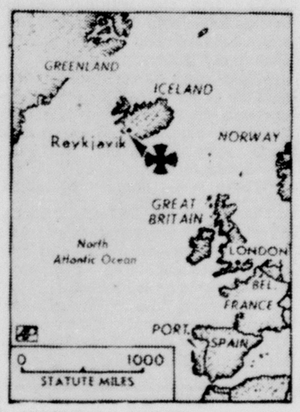
Headquarters of the 53rd Air Rescue Squadron at Keflavik said survivors had been sighted by the crew of an American plane that spotted the wreckage through a hole in the clouds shrouding Myrdalsjokull.

But American officials said it was impossible to determine how many of the nine crewmen survived the crash 4,000 feet up the glacier.

Yet there were definite signs of life. Crewmen in search planes saw two flashes of reddish-orange light illuminate the lofty ice field, similar to the distress rockets carried by the patrol plane.

The officials said the condition of the wreckage indicated a good chance for survivors. It appeared the pilot had attempted to crash-land on the pitted ice on the glacier that stretches 40 miles long and 10 miles wide just inland from Iceland's southcentral coast.

An Air Force SA-16 Albatross amphibian plane dropped medical supplies, food and other survival equipment at the scene of the crash Friday. Rescue land parties were formed on an emergency basis to attempt to save the survivors before they succumbed to the killing cold.



WHERE NAVY PLANE LOCATED—This map locates the point where wreckage of a U. S. Navy bomber was located by an air rescue squadron on the snowy wastes of a glacier about 110 miles southeast of Reykjavik, capital of Iceland. Ground rescue squads last night were attempting to reach reported survivors from the crew of nine. (AP Wirephoto Map)

Elizabeth Uses Fingers To Eat Suckling Pig

NUKUALOFA, Tonga Islands, Dec. 19 (AP)—Britain's Queen Elizabeth II sat cross-legged today in the palace of her friend, Queen Salote of Tonga, and ate roast-suckling pig with her fingers.

Elizabeth and her husband, the Duke of Edinburg—en route to New Zealand on their world tour—stopped over at this British protectorate in the South Pacific to visit 6 feet 3 Salote, the only other woman ruler in the British Commonwealth.

High spot of the day was the luncheon feast at Salote's palace. In accordance with the traditions of Tonga, known as the Friendly Islands, the royal guests sat cross-legged on cushions before long tables and partook with their fingers of roast pig, lobster, duck, chicken and an assortment of native fruit.

As the feast proceeded, Tongan girls brought around gourd finger bowls. Natives fanned the guests to ward off the tropical heat.

Afterward, hundreds of spear-wielding warriors and graceful young girls staged a dance in Elizabeth's honor.

There was an embarrassing moment this evening when the electric lights failed while Elizabeth and her husband were dining at the British residency. Kerosene lamps were hurriedly substituted.

Tonight the royal pair slept at Salote's palace while 400 Tongans with flaming coconut fibre torches stood guard.

The Queen and the Duke arrived by plane from Suva this morning in a rain, reminiscent of the downpour which marked the coronation of Elizabeth in London last June 2. On that occasion, Queen Salote captured British hearts by driving drenched but smiling in an open coach during the coronation procession.

Dock Workers To Choose Between Fueding Unions

NEW YORK, Dec. 19 (AP) — The 22,000 dock workers of the Port of New York are slated to choose in an election Tuesday and Wednesday between two feuding unions. But whether the outcome will bring waterfront peace remains to be seen.

Even the setting of an election date — a move intended by the National Labor Relations Board to avert a Christmas Eve strike that would paralyze the harbor — set off a storm.

Spruille Braden, chairman of the city's Anti-Crime Committee, appealed to President Eisenhower to call off the balloting, although it is questionable whether the President has any authority to do so.

12-Year-Old Boy Hit By Car Here

A 12-year-old Monroe boy was injured yesterday evening when struck by an auto at the intersection of South Second Street and Winnsboro Road.

Woodie Mahoney, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Mahoney, Bernstein Park road, was struck by a car driven by Kenneth B. Hale, 37, of Rt. 1 Calhoun, about 7:40 p.m. Investigating officers reported the youth, while attempting to cross the road, ran into the path of the vehicle.

The youth was taken to St. Francis Sanitarium by Mulhearn ambulance. Last night the extent of his injuries was not known.

Mercury Rising After Cold Snap

By UNITED PRESS

Temperatures climbed Saturday in the wake of a cold wave which chilled the eastern half of the nation.

Generally fair weather prevailed over most of the country, and temperatures in the Midwest were considerably higher.

The warming trend set in Friday over the northern plains area from the Dakotas eastward to the upper Great Lakes and southward to Oklahoma and Arkansas.

Minimum temperatures during the night were 15 to 25 degrees higher than Friday morning from the Dakotas southeastward to the Ohio and central Mississippi Valleys and southward into Oklahoma.

Burlington, Ia., which reported a low of three degrees above zero Friday morning, had a low of 29 Saturday.

Temperatures began the upward trend on the East Coast, which had been blanketed for several days by a cold Canadian air mass.

Weapon Jammed And Intruder Ran

New Iberia Police Seek Masked Man Who Fired Pistol In Family Home

NEW IBERIA, La., Dec. 19—UP—Police here Saturday sought a young gunman who opened fire in a home while trying to convince two men he was serious about robbing them, then ran out the door and hopped in a car where a confederate was waiting.

Mrs. Vernon Donovan told police that the abortive holdup began when she opened the door of the Lewis Oubre home and a man with a handkerchief over his face and wearing white gloves entered and shoved a pistol in her back.

Mrs. Donovan said her husband and Oubre were watching television and paid little attention when the man yelled that it was a stick-up.

"Take it easy, man," Oubre said. "What you need is a good drink. Let me fix one for you."

"Yes, fix me one, and you better make it a good one because this is really a stickup," the robber was quoted as replying.

The gun went off and sounded like the "explosion of a firecracker," Oubre said, and he moved toward the intruder when he realized it was a holdup.

"His gun was apparently jammed," Oubre said. "He finally turned around and ran from the house. A car with the motor running was waiting outside."

Also Friday night, the offices of the Iberia Building Association were ransacked, but only about $2 in petty cash was reported taken.

Police said that entrance was gained by breaking the glass in a back window. All the drawers in the building were searched by the thieves.

Three Local Men Vice-Presidents Of Corporation

E. S. Coldwell, of New York, president of Ford, Bacon and Davis Construction Corp., announced here last night at the annual Christmas party the appointments of three local men as vice-presidents of the company.

The three new vice - presidents were announced by Coldwell as George O. Phillips, to head local activities of the company; John E. Baugh, to head all construction activities; Durwood X. Ellett, to head all engineering work for the corporation.

The three men will assume their new duties January 1, 1954.

Charles C. Whittelsey, executive vice - president, will continue to be responsible for the corporation's activities, but will move his base of operations from Monroe to New York City, where the main offices of the parent company are located. Mr. Whittelsey is also a vice-president of the parent company, and a director and member of the executive committee.

Mr. Phillips, who is to assume his new duties as director of local activities for the corporation, is a native Louisianan and has been with the company since 1934. He and his family reside at 507 Glenmar and his son, Charles Phillips, is a student at Louisiana Tech.

The new vice - president in charge of the corporations engineering activities, Mr. Ellett, has been an employee of Ford, Bacon and Davis since 1941. A native of Illinois he has lived here for quite some time and resides with his family at 2409 Trenton in West Monroe. He has two children, John Ellett, a student at Louisiana Tech and Jo Marie Ellett, a student at Stevens College in Missouri.

Mr. Baugh, who is very active in civic work, resides at 1107 North Third Street and has three children: John Baugh, Jr., Marion and Gertrude Baugh. He has been with the corporation since 1927 and is a native of Oklahoma.

Jes' Ramblin'

Mrs. J. N. Riddle, of the League of Women Voters, and also a teacher in Lida Benton school, states that she sees great good being accomplished through the use of the T. B. Christmas seals. "Everyone should do all he or she can to aid in the warfare on this disease," she assured. "At the Lida Benton School, we are doing all we can to acquaint the children with the need of their cooperation so

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Senate Probers To Quiz Former U. S. Diplomat

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19—UP—Senate investigators disclosed Saturday that they will question Spruille Braden, former assistant secretary of state, in New York next Tuesday about the Harry Dexter White spy case.

Robert Morris, chief counsel for the internal security subcommittee, said the hearings will be open to the public.

Justice Department records show that Braden was one of a number of Truman administration officials who received a confidential FBI summary in November, 1945, which listed White as a member of a Soviet espionage ring.

Braden has been quoted as saying he recalled no derogatory information about White. White died in 1948, a week after denying at a congressional hearing that he was ever a Communist or a spy.

Attorney General Herbert Brownell Jr. has cited White's "promotion" from assistant secretary of the treasury to a top post on the International Monetary Fund as showing Mr. Truman's blindness to the Communist threat. Mr. Truman has said he moved White to the monetary fund to keep him under surveillance, but FBI director J. Edgar Hoover has said the switch made it more difficult to keep tabs on him.

Military Budget Cuts To Scale Down Army's Size

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19 (AP)—Last-minute revisions in the military budget tentatively approved by President Eisenhower are expected to cut Army manpower strength back even further than initially proposed by the Defense Department—to a level of about 1,165,000 by July 1, 1955.

Army officials had argued strenuously against the original Defense Department request that they attempt to trim down to about 1,281,000 men by then.

Army personnel experts had agreed only reluctantly with the belief of the over-all Defense Department chiefs that even the first proposal for an approximate 10 per cent cut to about 1,281,000 soldiers could be met without serious impact on troop strength in critical areas overseas.

Present strength of the Army is a little under 1½ million.

Usually well-informed sources indicated today the final budget recommendations taken to Eisenhower carried a cut which would be nearer to 18 per cent. Secretary of the Army Stevens, asked by reporters about the new cutback, hastily replied only that "I can't comment at all."

Although Eisenhower is reported to have given tentative approval to the general military budget, which includes the lower Army figures, and the first pages of the bulky document has gone to the Government Printing Office to be prepared for submission to Congress, changes still can be made as late as Dec. 28.

13 Escape From Penitentiary; 6 Recaptured

Michigan State Institution Is Scene Of Break

JACKSON, Mich., Dec. 19 (AP)—Thirteen long - term convicts escaped through a tunnel from Southern Michigan Prison tonight and three hours later state police reported five had grabbed two girls as hostages and were fleeing toward Indiana.

The thirteen had terrorized a home earlier, taking a pistol and civilian clothing and stealing an automobile in which they fled.

Six had been recaptured when state police reported the grabbing of the girl hostages by five who had stolen a 1952 beige-colored Cadillac (license K2534) and had inquired the way to Indiana on M60 to the southwest.

Five were caught as their car, into which state police were pumping bullets, careened into a ditch on M50 near Napoleon, Mich., 12 miles southeast of Jackson. The sixth was picked up near there an hour later.

It was the first tunnel escape in the history of the prison, the world's largest walled penitentiary and scene of two bloody prisoner uprisings in 1952.

The convicts fled through a drain tunnel, using a makeshift acetelyne torch to cut three steel-bar gates. They sneaked into the tunnel from the prison cannery during a recreation period and left it 250 feet outside the east wall.

Ten men were found missing at the 6:30 p.m. check and while a routine check was being made of the big prison state police warned that between 12 and 14 convicts had terrorized a home.

Deputy Warden Charles Cahill threw a guard outside the prison walls. The tunnel-escape then was discovered.

Glenn McMillan, who lives a half-mile from the prison, alerted state police when he reported that several convicts had invaded his home.

McMillan said "they busted it up" before tying up him and his wife, taking his pistol and fleeing in his car.

McMillan thought there were 12 to 14 in the group.

The escape by a tunnel under the walls was discovered as the prison began a quick check of its approximately 5,000 inmates.

Five of the six who fled in the car were arrested by pursuing Jackson County sheriff's deputies when it went out of control and rolled over on M50 near Napoleon, 12 miles southeast of Jackson.

State police quoted those captured as saying 13 had fled the prison.

Four were captured as they crawled from the wrecked car. Two fled, but one of them was picked up shortly afterward by the pursuing deputies.

Warmer Today, Monday Mild

According to the government weather bureau Louisiana and Arkansas will have cloudy skies, and occasional rain today. A rise in temperature is also predicted.

Monday, the weather bureau says, will be partly cloudy and mild.

Last night CAA officials at Selman Field reported the high in Monroe yesterday was 48 degrees. The minimum temperature for the day was 28 degrees.

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Presidential Voting In Parliament At Deadlock

VERSAILLES, France, Dec. 19 (AP)—The unprecedented deadlock in the French Parliament over election of a new president of the republic held through the six ballot tonight. The weary parliamentarians then put off the next roll call until tomorrow.

Splitting as before along right, left and center lines, the deputies and senators sitting in old Versailles Palace left France's businessman Premier, Joseph Laniel, 56 votes shy of the majority of votes cast on the sixth ballot.

The rightist politician received 397 votes, 23 more than he got on the fifth tally.

Marcel-Edmond Naegelen, the Socialist who is supported by Communist votes because he is opposed to the European army plan, polled 306, a drop of six, and the third candidate, Jean Medecin, Radical Socialist (moderate) mayor of Nice, gathered 171, a decline of 26.

The seventh ballot will be at 3 p.m. (9 a.m., EST) tomorrow.

Never before in France's republican history had more than two ballots been necessary to choose the chief of state.

French newspapers, although inured to the haggling of the nation's many political parties, were calling the election a "shocking and even humiliating spectacle."

Laniel, a wealthy right-wing Independent, is a mild supporter of the American-backed plan for a six-nation European army to include West German troops. Naegelan opposes the plan. Medecin never has had to take a stand on major foreign policy issues.

The new President is to succeed Vincent Auriol, a 69-year-old Socialist who completes a 7-year term next month.

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Tuesday, Dec. 22
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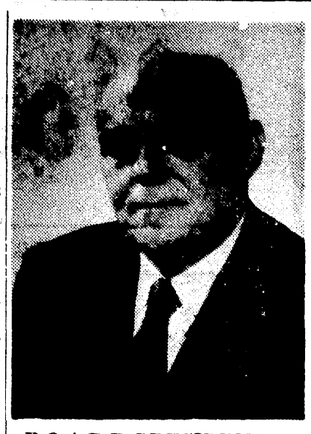


BOARD PRESIDENT — Raymond Heard, prominent Ruston businessman and member of the State Board of Education from the 3rd public service commission district, was recently elected president of the board. He is serving his first full term of six years.

Head Of National Advertising Firm Dies In Chicago

CHICAGO, Dec. 19 (AP)—John Petrie, 68, board chairman of the Branham Co., national advertising agency, died today at Michael Reese Hospital after a four-month illness.

Petrie joined the firm in 1906 as one of its first employes and later helped develop the Branham Co. into a national organization with offices in 10 cities.

He became president in 1935 upon the death of John M. Branham, a native of Nashville, Tenn.

The Branham Co. are national advertising representatives for many newspapers, radio and television stations. The company's newspaper clients include:

Shreveport, La., Times and Shreveport Journal; Monroe, La., World and Monroe News-Star, and Meridian, Miss., Star.

Florida Senator Plugs Symington For Presidency

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19—UP—Sen. Stuart Symington of Missouri "very definitely would be a strong candidate" if the Democrats picked him for the 1956 presidential nomination, Sen. George E. Smathers (D-Fla.) said Saturday.

Smathers gave Symington one of the biggest plugs yet in an apparently growing boomlet for the former Air Force secretary and Reconstruction Finance Corporation administrator.

Some circles saw his statement as a possible swing away from Adlai E. Stevenson, of Illinois, titular head of the party. But Smathers included Stevenson along with Symington among five men whom he thinks have "an excellent chance" of winning the Democratic nomination. The others were Gov. Frank Lausche of Ohio and Sens. Richard B. Russell (Ga.) and Lyndon B. Johnson (Tex.).

Smathers talked with reporters on his return from a long speaking tour in Florida, capped by a fishing trip and political talkfest in the keys with Symington, Russell, Johnson and Sen. Earle C. Clements (D-Ky.).

Asked about Symington, who has said he is not a candidate, Smathers said the Missourian "is getting a lot of support, comes from a good state politically, and has much administrative ability."

"There is no doubt," he added, "that Symington would be most acceptable to Southern groups." He noted that Symington is "well-known as the first man to clean up the RFC mess."

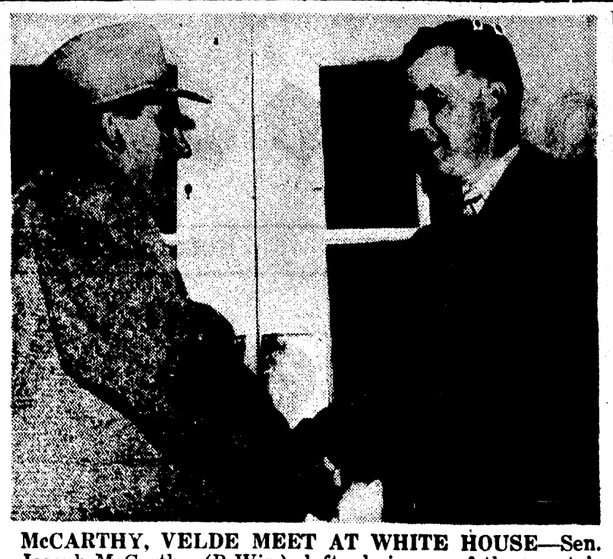
Smathers said he does not think that former President Truman, who was Stevenson's original booster, will figure prominently in the 1956 nominating convention.

He did think, however, that the South would have more influence than previously.

"Adversity has done a lot to bring the Democrats back together again," he said. "The northern liberals recognize the Southern point of view and the Southerners recognize that they can't have their way exclusively."

"A Southern candidate," he went on, "will be able to have more consideration than we've had in recent conventions."

As for Stevenson, he said "it's not at all sure" that the former Illinois governor will be nominated. Stevenson was boomed to make the race again at a recent Democratic rally in Alabama.



McCARTHY, VELDE MEET AT WHITE HOUSE—Sen. Joseph McCarthy (R-Wis.), left, chairman of the senate's permanent investigations subcommittee, and Rep. Harold Velde (R-Ill.), chairman of the House un-American Activities committee, shake hands as they meet at the White House door in Washington yesterday. Both were invited to attend the day's session of Republican congressional leaders with President Eisenhower to work on the legislative program. (AP Wirephoto)

Christmas Will

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in which many little people, and fully as many older ones, will have little on their tables that can be called suited to a Christmas dinner. They will still be in need of warm clothes and other essentials of life.

What can be more pitiful than the heartbreaking cry of a little girl who has had her heart set on an attractive doll which her mother has promised if she would be a "good girl." She is sure she has been a "good girl," but Santa just failed to come!

What double despair will come to the mother of a little girl like this? What excuse can she make when her little one upbraids her for the fact that Santa has missed their home?

A situation like this would not occur if Good Fellows were able financially to see that every request has been granted.

Just won't you, as a committee of one, see that you have done your duty by a generous donation to Good Fellows? It will be sure to make your own holiday far brighter.

Jim Kocotas, owner of the vacant store nearly opposite Mary's Flower Shop on North Second Street, has generously placed his store room at the disposal of Good Fellows. In behalf of this group, the heartiest thanks are being extended for this courtesy.

That the place is a busy one will be seen by dropping by there and observing the huge piles of produce, clothing, fruit and toys that are being sorted out and packed to be placed in baskets for distribution next week.

GOP Legislative

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discussed, let alone the details of what might be done about them. Neither did he specify the measures on which there was apparently some disagreement about immediate action.

He did say, however, that in foreign policy "it is clear that we must continue to strengthen the unity of the free world to resist aggression."

He said the 1952 GOP platform pledged his party to carry out certain obligations "to the American people and to the community of free nations."

While his final statement did not discuss them, it was learned that Mr. Eisenhower and his aides spread these plans before the leaders:

1. A decision to cut the 1955 defense budget about $5 million below this fiscal year's spending figure. The administration defense request is expected to be from $38 billion to $39 billion.

2. New legislative tools for dealing with crooks and suspected Communists. These would include bills allowing wiretap evidence in federal courts, and compelling balky witnesses to testify by providing they could not incriminate themselves.

Other topics considered — some of them not yet in the form of concrete proposals — including a farm policy, the Taft-Hartley Act, foreign relations, postal rates, Social Security expansion, Veterans' affairs, taxes and a variety of other tough questions posed for administration.

Saturday's session featured the first face-to-face meeting between Mr. Eisenhower and Sen. Joseph R. McCarthy since the Wisconsin Republican attacked the President's foreign policy.

McCarthy, leaving the White House, told newsmen he was "not displeased," and later telephoned a statement saying he was "tremendously impressed," by how the President handled the conference.

The President and Attorney General Herbert Brownell Jr. sought support of McCarthy and chairman Harold H. Velde (R-Ill.) of the House un-American Activities committee, for the wiretap and testimony bills. McCarthy is chairman of the Senate Permanent Investigating subcommittee.

A third investigator, Chairman William E. Jenner (R-Ind.) of the Senate Internal Security subcommittee, was invited but was ill in Indiana.

Meanwhile, it was disclosed that the Chief Executive has approved a "new look" defense program costing about five billion dollars less than this year's military spending.

The President also endorsed long range plans to trim some 600,000 men from the Army, Navy and Marine Corps, and to raise the Air Force's expansion goal from 120 wings up to 137 by mid-1957 informed sources said.

Though some details were still to be hammered out, it was understood that, in general, Mr. Eisenhower approved a defense budget of between $38 billion and $39 billion for the 1955 fiscal year, which begins next July 1. Defense spending for the current fiscal year is estimated at $43 billion.

The defense cutback was considered a sure signal for a congressional battle between the economy block and those who oppose cutting defenses while Soviet Russia is still a massive threat to world peace.

Brownell's proposals for better means to rout out suspected subversives were by no means new. He advocated them last month in testifying about the case of the late Harry Dexter White, whom he called a Communist spy in government. Various forms of the two proposals are already before Congress.

In brief, Brownell's requested legislation would:

1. Make evidence gained by wiretapping admissible in federal courts in cases involving national security or certain serious crimes. Brownell indicated that the Justice Department thinks it has cases against a number of persons if it could only use evidence it has gathered by electronic eavesdropping.

2. Allow Brownell to grant a witness immunity from prosecution for cases about which he testifies before a congressional committee. The witness would then be required to answer questions or face contempt of Congress citations. At present many witnesses suspected of crimes or communism refuse to answer on the basis of the fifth amendment, which provides that a person may not be required to testify against himself.

Others invited to discuss the Brownell proposals were Chairman Alexander Wiley (R-Wis.) of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee and Chairman Chauncey W. Reed of the House Judiciary committee.

U. S. Prepared To Offer Russia Full Security Guaranty

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19 (AP)—The United States is prepared to join Britain and France in offering security guarantees to Russia—provided these are part of a package solution of the problems of German unification and a German peace treaty.

The precise way in which the security assurances might be given is one of the subjects set for discussion among representatives of the three Western powers. They are now meeting in Paris to prepare joint positions for the proposed four-power session in Berlin that would include Soviet Foreign Minister Molotov.

French Ambassador Henri Bonnet conferred with Secretary of State Dulles and Assistant Secretary Livingston Merchant for about 45 minutes at the State Department today on problems of the Paris and Berlin meetings.

Officials here said the Paris meeting is concerned not only with the security question—on which Prime Minister Winston Churchill spoke to the British Parliament Thursday—but also and much more importantly with the development of a set of proposals for German unity and peace which the Russians will be challenged to accept. One informant said the United States feels that the Western powers must have a positive approach to the Berlin meeting.

The West has proposed that the meeting begin Jan. 4. The Soviet government has not yet said whether this date is agreeable.

Churchill referred to his May 11 speech in which he suggested assurances be offered the Russians, and said he thought he had impressed the other Bermuda conferees with "the justice and advantage of such a course."

Officials here said the U. S. policy remains unchanged by the Bermuda meeting. They said it takes into account:

1. Russia may have a real fear about a revival of German military power.

2. Therefore, in connection with proposed steps for arming Germany in the Western camp Moscow could and probably should be given assurances that this military strength would not be aggressively against the Soviet Union.

Secretary of State Dulles outlined this policy to a news conference Oct. 6. He rejected any thought of a general treaty of non-aggression with Russia, saying the United Nations charter is in fact a non-aggression pact with the Soviet Union.

He pointed out, however, that Germany is not a member of the U. N. nor bound by the charter; accordingly some special assurances to Russia with respect to Germany could reasonably be considered.

The Russians are bitter foes of the proposed rearmament of West Germany under the proposed European Defense Community treaty —which France so far has been unwilling to ratify. The Russians have maneuvered for months to prevent French ratification.

One important reason they agreed to a four-power Foreign Ministers meeting may be hope that the mere prospect of East-West talks would give the reluctant French further reason for delaying, despite American pressure for early action.

Four Stranglers Confess Slaying Of Ten Persons

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 19 —UP—Four stranglers confessed Saturday they used a deadly wrestling hold to kill at least 10 persons in 45 days.

The four men, identified by police as Jose Garcia, Bernardo Benietez, Jose Hernandez and Mauro Gutierrez, said they committed the murders to rob clothing and money.

They obtained only 70 centavos (about eight cents U. S.) from one victim. Their biggest haul was about $265 (U.S.).

Police said the killers, who operated at night on lonely streets near the shrine of the Virgin of Guadalupe, patron saint of the Americas, were captured Friday after Garcia "talked to much under the influence of liquor."

They were being questioned about other unsolved stranglings in the Mexican capital during the past year. Police said in addition to the 10 murders committed recently, "there are strong indications that these men, who apparently have no consciousness of the monstrosity of their crimes, strangled 10 more persons."

They described the wrestling hold used by the stranglers as "Chinese lock to the throat."

All their victims were middle class Mexicans.

Two Kidnapers Are Buried 200 Miles Apart

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 16—UP—The executed kidnap slayers of six-year-old Bobby Greenlease were buried in windswept cemeteries 200 miles apart Saturday, and the handful of mourners wept only for their monstrous crime.

There were no tears for the passing of Bonnie Brown Heady, 4, and her drunken wastrel lover, Carl Austin Hall, 34, whose lives were ended in the Missouri poison gas chamber Friday, 81 days after they had kidnaped and killed Bobby for a record $600,000 ransom.

Mrs. Heady's last wish had been to be buried with Hall, but there were no persons willing to memorialize their sordid, illicit relationship."

She was buried with her parents in the Clearmont, Mo., cemetery and Hall was buried with his father, mother and brother in Pleasanton, Kans.

Residents of Clearmont ignored the services for Mrs. Heady. Feeling had run high in Pleasanton when Hall's body was brought home for burial, but open resentment had died down by the time the service began.

Graveside services for each of the killers lasted about 10 minutes. Their names were not mentioned.

One relative attended Mrs. Heady's funeral. Three members of Hall's family were at his final rites. One of his pallbearers was an old man who gave him his first and only job many years ago.

Five floral pieces were sent to the Clearmont cemetery to cover Mrs. Heady's grave. Three were chrysanthemums. Two sprays of chrysanthemums were placed on Hall's casket.

That is the kind of flower Hall and Mrs. Heady planted on Bobby's grave in her St. Joseph, Mo., backyard after burying him under a blanket of lime and dirt.

Hall and Mrs. Heady were brought to justice in record time, but their executions did not make an end to the case. Nearly $300,000 of the ransom money they got from wealthy Robert C. Greenlease still was missing. A grand jury indicted a policeman on perjury charges Friday and still was investigating the case.

4-H Scholarship Awards Are Made

BATON ROUGE, La., Dec. 19—UP—Eight Four - H scholarship awards were made to Louisiana State University agriculture students by the Esso Corp. at a meeting here.

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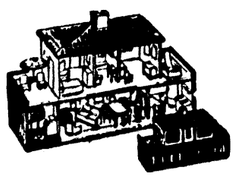

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Presidential Voting In Parliament At Deadlock

VERSAILLES, France, Dec. 19 (AP)—The unprecedented deadlock in the French Parliament over election of a new president of the republic held through the six ballot tonight. The weary parliamentarians then put off the next roll call until tomorrow.

Splitting as before along right, left and center lines, the deputies and senators sitting in old Versailles Palace left France's businessman Premier, Joseph Laniel, 56 votes shy of the majority of votes cast on the sixth ballot.

The rightist politician received 397 votes, 23 more than he got on the fifth tally.

Marcel-Edmond Naegelen, the Socialist who is supported by Communist votes because he is opposed to the European army plan, polled 306, a drop of six, and the third candidate, Jean Medecin, Radical Socialist (moderate) mayor of Nice, gathered 171, a decline of 26.

The seventh ballot will be at 3 p.m. (9 a.m., EST) tomorrow.

Never before in France's republican history had more than two ballots been necessary to choose the chief of state.

French newspapers, although inured to the haggling of the nation's many political parties, were calling the election a "shocking and even humiliating spectacle."

Laniel, a wealthy right-wing Independent, is a mild supporter of the American-backed plan for a six-nation European army to include West German troops. Naegelan opposes the plan. Medecin never has had to take a stand on major foreign policy issues.

The new President is to succeed Vincent Auriol, a 69-year-old Socialist who completes a 7-year term next month.

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BOARD PRESIDENT — Raymond Heard, prominent Ruston businessman and member of the State Board of Education from the 3rd public service commission district, was recently elected president of the board. He is serving his first full term of six years.

Head Of National Advertising Firm Dies In Chicago

CHICAGO, Dec. 19 (AP)—John Petrie, 68, board chairman of the Branham Co., national advertising agency, died today at Michael Reese Hospital after a four-month illness.

Petrie joined the firm in 1906 as one of its first employes and later helped develop the Branham Co. into a national organization with offices in 10 cities.

He became president in 1935 upon the death of John M. Branham, a native of Nashville, Tenn.

The Branham Co. are national advertising representatives for many newspapers, radio and television stations. The company's newspaper clients include:

Shreveport, La., Times and Shreveport Journal; Monroe, La., World and Monroe News-Star, and Meridian, Miss., Star.

Florida Senator Plugs Symington For Presidency

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19—UP—Sen. Stuart Symington of Missouri "very definitely would be a strong candidate" if the Democrats picked him for the 1956 presidential nomination, Sen. George E. Smathers (D-Fla.) said Saturday.

Smathers gave Symington one of the biggest plugs yet in an apparently growing boomlet for the former Air Force secretary and Reconstruction Finance Corporation administrator.

Some circles saw his statement as a possible swing away from Adlai E. Stevenson, of Illinois, titular head of the party. But Smathers included Stevenson along with Symington among five men whom he thinks have "an excellent chance" of winning the Democratic nomination. The others were Gov. Frank Lausche of Ohio and Sens. Richard B. Russell (Ga.) and Lyndon B. Johnson (Tex.).

Smathers talked with reporters on his return from a long speaking tour in Florida, capped by a fishing trip and political talkfest in the keys with Symington, Russell, Johnson and Sen. Earle C. Clements (D-Ky.).

Asked about Symington, who has said he is not a candidate, Smathers said the Missourian "is getting a lot of support, comes from a good state politically, and has much administrative ability."

"There is no doubt," he added, "that Symington would be most acceptable to Southern groups." He noted that Symington is "well-known as the first man to clean up the RFC mess."

Smathers said he does not think that former President Truman, who was Stevenson's original booster, will figure prominently in the 1956 nominating convention.

He did think, however, that the South would have more influence than previously.

"Adversity has done a lot to bring the Democrats back together again," he said. "The northern liberals recognize the Southern point of view and the Southerners recognize that they can't have their way exclusively."

"A Southern candidate," he went on, "will be able to have more consideration than we've had in recent conventions."

As for Stevenson, he said "it's not at all sure" that the former Illinois governor will be nominated. Stevenson was boomed to make the race again at a recent Democratic rally in Alabama.

McCARTHY, VELDE MEET AT WHITE HOUSE—Sen. Joseph McCarthy (R-Wis.), left, chairman of the senate's permanent investigations subcommittee, and Rep. Harold Velde (R-Ill.), chairman of the House un-American Activitives committee, shake hands as they meet at the White House door in Washington yesterday. Both were invited to attend the day's session of Republican congressional leaders with President Eisenhower to work on the legislative program. (AP Wirephoto)

Christmas Will

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in which many little people, and fully as many older ones, will have little on their tables that can be called suited to a Christmas dinner. They will still be in need of warm clothes and other essentials of life.

What can be more pitiful than the heartbreaking cry of a little girl who has had her heart set on an attractive doll which her mother has promised if she would be a "good girl." She is sure she has been a "good girl," but Santa just failed to come!

What double despair will come to the mother of a little girl like this? What excuse can she make when her little one upbraids her for the fact that Santa has missed their home?

A situation like this would not occur if Good Fellows were able financially to see that every request has been granted.

Just won't you, as a committee of one, see that you have done your duty by a generous donation to Good Fellows? It will be sure to make your own holiday far brighter.

Jim Kocotas, owner of the vacant store nearly opposite Mary's Flower Shop on North Second Street, has generously placed his store room at the disposal of Good Fellows. In behalf of this group, the heartiest thanks are being extended for this courtesy.

That the place is a busy one will be seen by dropping by there and observing the huge piles of produce, clothing, fruit and toys that are being sorted out and packed to be placed in baskets for distribution next week.

GOP Legislative

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discussed, let alone the details of what might be done about them. Neither did he specify the measures on which there was apparently some disagreement about immediate action.

He did say, however, that in foreign policy "it is clear that we must continue to strengthen the unity of the free world to resist aggression."

He said the 1952 GOP platform pledged his party to carry out certain obligations "to the American people and to the community of free nations."

While his final statement did not discuss them, it was learned that Mr. Eisenhower and his aides spread these plans before the leaders:

1. A decision to cut the 1955 defense budget about $5 million below this fiscal year's spending figure. The administration defense request is expected to be from $38 billion to $39 billion.

2. New legislative tools for dealing with crooks and suspected Communists. These would include bills allowing wiretap evidence in federal courts, and compelling balky witnesses to testify by providing they could not incriminate themselves.

Other topics considered — some of them not yet in the form of concrete proposals — including a farm policy, the Taft-Hartley Act, foreign relations, postal rates, Social Security expansion, Veterans' affairs, taxes and a variety of other tough questions posed for administration.

Saturday's session featured the first face-to-face meeting between Mr. Eisenhower and Sen. Joseph R. McCarthy since the Wisconsin Republican attacked the President's foreign policy.

McCarthy, leaving the White House, told newsmen he was "not displeased," and later telephoned a statement saying he was "tremendously impressed," by how the President handled the conference.

The President and Attorney General Herbert Brownell Jr. sought support of McCarthy and chairman Harold H. Velde (R-Ill.) of the House un-American Activities committee, for the wiretap and testimony bills. McCarthy is chairman of the Senate Permanent Investigating subcommittee.

A third investigator, Chairman William E. Jenner (R-Ind.) of the Senate Internal Security subcommittee, was invited but was ill in Indiana.

Meanwhile, it was disclosed that the Chief Executive has approved a "new look" defense program costing about five billion dollars less than this year's military spending.

The President also endorsed long range plans to trim some 600,000 men from the Army, Navy and Marine Corps, and to raise the Air Force's expansion goal from 120 wings up to 137 by mid-1957, informed sources said.

Though some details were still to be hammered out, it was understood that, in general, Mr. Eisenhower approved a defense budget of between $38 billion and $39 billion for the 1955 fiscal year, which begins next July 1. Defense spending for the current fiscal year is estimated at $43 billion.

The defense cutback was considered a sure signal for a congressional battle between the economy block and those who oppose cutting defenses while Soviet Russia is still a massive threat to world peace.

Brownell's proposals for better means to rout out suspected subversives were by no means new. He advocated them last month in testifying about the case of the late Harry Dexter White, whom he called a Communist spy in government. Various forms of the two proposals are already before Congress.

In brief, Brownell's requested legislation would:

1. Make evidence gained by wiretapping admissible in federal courts in cases involving national security or certain serious crimes. Brownell indicated that the Justice Department thinks it has cases against a number of persons if it could only use evidence it has gathered by electronic eavesdropping.

2. Allow Brownell to grant a witness immunity from prosecution for cases about which he testifies before a congressional committee. The witness would then be required to answer questions or face contempt of Congress citations. At present many witnesses suspected of crimes or communism refuse to answer on the basis of the fifth amendment, which provides that a person may not be required to testify against himself.

Others invited to discuss the Brownell proposals were Chairman Alexander Wiley (R-Wis.) of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee and Chairman Chauncey W. Reed of the House Judiciary committee.

U. S. Prepared To Offer Russia Full Security Guaranty

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19 (AP)—The United States is prepared to join Britain and France in offering security guarantees to Russia—provided these are part of a package solution of the problems of German unification and a German peace treaty.

The precise way in which the security assurances might be given is one of the subjects set for discussion among representatives of the three Western powers. They are now meeting in Paris to prepare joint positions for the proposed four-power session in Berlin that would include Soviet Foreign Minister Molotov.

French Ambassador Henri Bonnet conferred with Secretary of State Dulles and Assistant Secretary Livingston Merchant for about 45 minutes at the State Department today on problems of the Paris and Berlin meetings.

Officials here said the Paris meeting is concerned not only with the security question—on which Prime Minister Winston Churchill spoke to the British Parliament Thursday—but also and much more importantly with the development of a set of proposals for German unity and peace which the Russians will be challenged to accept. One informant said the United States feels that the Western powers must have a positive approach to the Berlin meeting.

The West has proposed that the meeting begin Jan. 4. The Soviet government has not yet said whether this date is agreeable.

Churchill referred to his May 11 speech in which he suggested assurances be offered the Russians, and said he thought he had impressed the other Bermuda conferees with "the justice and advantage of such a course."

Officials here said the U. S. policy remains unchanged by the Bermuda meeting. They said it takes into account:

1. Russia may have a real fear about a revival of German military power.

2. Therefore, in connection with proposed steps for arming Germany in the Western camp Moscow could and probably should be given assurances that this military strength would not be aggressively against the Soviet Union.

Secretary of State Dulles outlined this policy to a news conference Oct. 6. He rejected any thought of a general treaty of non-aggression with Russia, saying the United Nations charter is in fact a non-aggression pact with the Soviet Union.

He pointed out, however, that Germany is not a member of the U. N. nor bound by the charter; accordingly some special assurances to Russia with respect to Germany could reasonably be considered.

The Russians are bitter foes of the proposed rearmament of West Germany under the proposed European Defense Community treaty—which France so far has been unwilling to ratify. The Russians have maneuvered for months to prevent French ratification.

One important reason they agreed to a four-power Foreign Ministers meeting may be hope that the mere prospect of East-West talks would give the reluctant French further reason for delaying, despite American pressure for early action.

Four Stranglers Confess Slaying Of Ten Persons

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 19 —UP—Four stranglers confessed Saturday they used a deadly wrestling hold to kill at least 10 persons in 45 days.

The four men, identified by police as Jose Garcia, Bernardo Benietez, Jose Hernandez and Mauro Gutierrez, said they committed the murders to rob clothing and money.

They obtained only 70 centavos (about eight cents U. S.) from one victim. Their biggest haul was about $265 (U.S.).

Police said the killers, who operated at night on lonely streets near the shrine of the Virgin of Guadalupe, patron saint of the Americas, were captured Friday after Garcia "talked to much under the influence of liquor."

They were being questioned about other unsolved stranglings in the Mexican capital during the past year. Police said in addition to the 10 murders committed recently, "there are strong indications that these men, who apparently have no consciousness of the monstrosity of their crimes, strangled 10 more persons."

They described the wrestling hold used by the stranglers as "a Chinese lock to the throat."

All their victims were middle-class Mexicans.

Two Kidnapers Are Buried 200 Miles Apart

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 16—UP—The executed kidnap slayers of six-year-old Bobby Greenlease were buried in windswept cemeteries 200 miles apart Saturday, and the handful of mourners wept only for their monstrous crime.

There were no tears for the passing of Bonnie Brown Heady, 41, and her drunken wastrel lover Carl Austin Hall, 34, whose lives were ended in the Missouri poison gas chamber Friday, 81 days after they had kidnaped and killed Bobby for a record $600,000 ransom.

Mrs. Heady's last wish had been to be buried with Hall, but there were no persons willing to memorialize their sordid, illicit relationship."

She was buried with her parents in the Clearmont, Mo., cemetery and Hall was buried with his father, mother and brother in Pleasanton, Kans.

Residents of Clearmont ignored the services for Mrs. Heady. Feeling had run high in Pleasanton when Hall's body was brought home for burial, but open resentment had died down by the time the service began.

Graveside services for each of the killers lasted about 10 minutes. Their names were not mentioned.

One relative attended Mrs. Heady's funeral. Three members of Hall's family were at his final rites. One of his pallbearers was an old man who gave him his first and only job many years ago.

Five floral pieces were sent to the Clearmont cemetery to cover Mrs. Heady's grave. Three were chrysanthemums. Two sprays of chrysanthemums were placed on Hall's casket.

That is the kind of flower Hall and Mrs. Heady planted on Bobby's grave in her St. Joseph, Mo., backyard after burying him under a blanket of lime and dirt.

Hall and Mrs. Heady were brought to justice in record time, but their executions did not mark an end to the case. Nearly $300,000 of the ransom money they got from wealthy Robert C. Greenlease still was missing. A grand jury indicted a policeman on perjury charges Friday and still was investigating the case.

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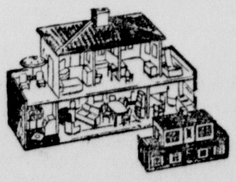

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The airborne course is but one of 21 at the infantry school open to officers and enlisted men of the regular army, organized reserve and the National Guard. Courses range from training recruits to become parachutists to training regimental commanders and division general staff officers.

Stapp enlisted in the service on May 14 and was sent to Fort Benning on Sept. 19. He is a graduate of Neville High School and attended Northeast Louisiana State College for a short while before entering service. He was employed at the News-Star — World for six years.

First Baptists, West Monroe, To Present Pageant

The First Baptist Church of West Monroe has completed plans for its annual Christmas pageant and choir presentation Sunday night. This annual program will be presented in three parts this year. Anthems by four church choirs, The Christmas Story, "Star of the East" in pantomime, and the presentation of White Christmas gifts to the Children's Home.

Beginning at 7:15 p.m. the chancel chapel, carol and cherub choirs under the direction of Paul Johnson, minister of music, will present several Christmas numbers both jointly and individually. This program is as follows: "All Glory on High," chancel and carol choirs; "While By Our Sleeping Flock We Lay," chancel and chapel choirs; "What Child is This," carol choir; "Away in the Manger," cherub choir; "Bring a Torch, Jeanette Isabella," chapel choir; "The Sleep of the Baby Jesus," cherub choir; "A Joyous Christmas Song," chancel and chapel choirs. "Sing Gloria," chancel choir. Bob Oldenburg and Miss Marianne Buce will be accompanists.

The pageant "Star of the East," directed by Miss Lallage Feazel, will follow the choir presentation. This colorful pageant is the true Christmas story, as revealed in the second chapter of the gospel according to Luke, and each character participating will be arrayed in the beautiful costumes of old. Participants are: Mary — Carole Eady; Joseph — Paul Smith; angel —Mary Lou Anderson; the shepherds — Tommy Trawick, Marvin Brasher and Randolph Cage; three wise men — Vance Harrelson, Cline Averett, and Elvis Stout. The narrator is Miss Lallage Feazel.

Officers Installed By Farmerville Club

FARMERVILLE, Dec. 19 (Special) — Mattie Lou McCarley was installed as worthy matron of the Farmerville Chapter No. 207, Order of Eastern Star at the installation ceremonies today.

Other new officers of the Farmerville chapter are as follows: worthy patron, Maurice Baxter; associate matron, Floy Kemp; associate patron, G. R. Weaver; secretary, Mrs. Ben Lee; treasurer, Mrs. Lonnie Black, Sr.; conductress, Mrs. Sadie Farrar; associate conductress, Mrs. P. L. Read; sentinel, H. Ludwig; chaplain, Mrs. Bennie Platt.

Warder, Mrs. Joe Waller; Adah, Dawn Kennedy; Ruth, Kathryn Ballard; Esther, Mrs. Maurice Baxter; Martha, Opal Elrvin; Electa, Mrs. Bill Rainwater; marshal, Mary Louise Johnston; organist, Mrs. Frank Milford.

ROTC WINS RATING

BATON ROUGE, La., Dec. 19—UP—Southern University's ROTC unit won a superior rating in its annual inspection by Col. T. J. Ryan of the office of the Inspector General of Fourth Army, university officials announced Saturday.

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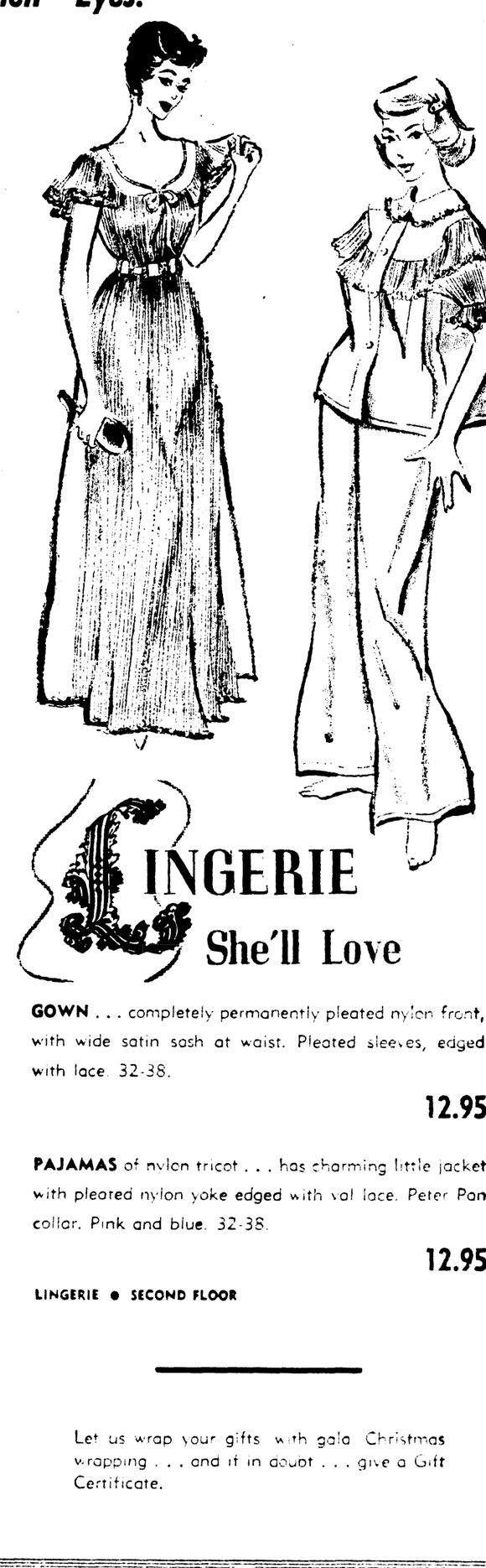

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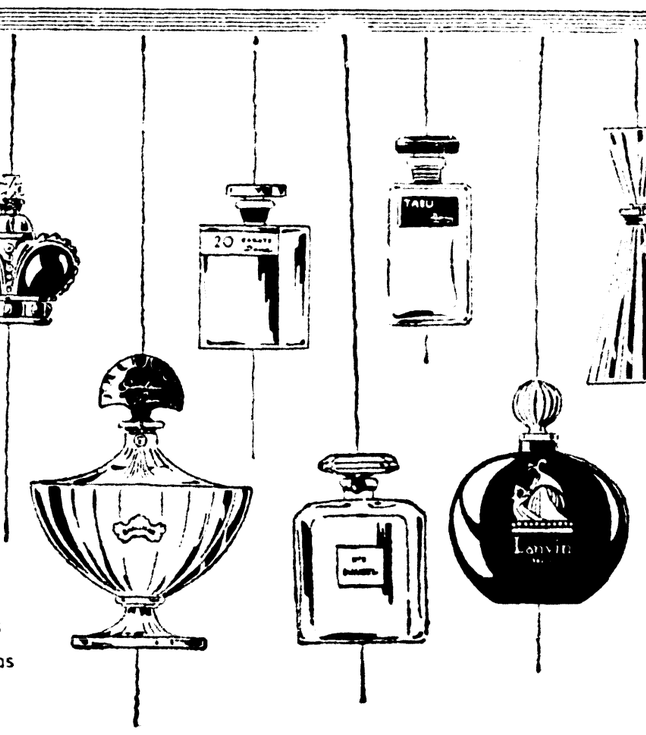

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The airborne course is but one of 21 at the infantry school open to officers and enlisted men of the regular army, organized reserve and the National Guard. Courses range from training recruits to become parachutists to training regimental commanders and division general staff officers.

Stapp enlisted in the service on May 14 and was sent to Fort Benning on Sept. 19. He is a graduate of Neville High School and attended Northeast Louisiana State College for a short while before entering service. He was employed at the News-Star — World for six years.

First Baptists, West Monroe, To Present Pageant

The First Baptist Church of West Monroe has completed plans for its annual Christmas pageant and choir presentation Sunday night. This annual program will be presented in three parts this year: Anthems by four church choirs, The Christmas Story, "Star of the East" in pantomine, and the presentation of White Christmas gifts to the Children's Home.

Beginning at 7:15 p.m. the chancel, chapel, carol and cherub choirs under the direction of Paul Johnson, minister of music, will present several Christmas numbers both jointly and individually. This program is as follows: "All Glory on High," chancel and carol choirs; "While By Our Sleeping Flock We Lay," chancel and chapel choirs; "What Child is This," carol choir; "Away in the Manger," cherub choir; "Bring a Torch, Jeanette Isabella," chapel choir; "The Sleep of the Baby Jesus," cherub choir; "A Joyous Christmas Song," chancel and chapel choirs; "Sing Gloria," chancel choir. Bob Oldenburg and Miss Marianne Buce will be accompanists.

The pageant "Star of the East," directed by Miss Lallage Feazel, will follow the choir presentation. This colorful pageant is the true Christmas story, as revealed in the second chapter of the gospel according to Luke, and each character participating will be arrayed in the beautiful costumes of old. Participants are: Mary — Carole Eady; Joseph — Paul Smith, angel —Mary Lou Anderson, the shepherds — Tommy Trawick, Marvin Brasher and Randolph Cage; three wise men — Vance Harrelson, Cline Averett, and Elvis Stout. The narrator is Miss Lallage Feazel.

Officers Installed By Farmerville Club

FARMERVILLE, Dec. 19 (Special) — Mattie Lou McCarley was installed as worthy matron of the Farmerville Chapter No. 207, Order of Eastern Star at the installation ceremonies today.

Other new officers of the Farmerville chapter are as follows: worthy patron, Maurice Baxter; associate matron, Floy Kemp; associate patron, G. R. Weaver; secretary, Mrs. Ben Lee; treasurer, Mrs. Lonnie Black, Sr.; conductress, Mrs. Sadie Farrar; associate conductress, Mrs. P. L. Read; sentinel, H. Ludwig; chaplain, Mrs. Bennie Platt.

Warder, Mrs. Joe Waller; Adah, Dawn Kennedy; Ruth, Kathryn Ballard; Esther, Mrs. Maurice Baxter; Martha, Opal Eirvin; Electa, Mrs. Bill Rainwater; marshal, Mary Louise Johnston; organist, Mrs. Frank Milford.

ROTC WINS RATING

BATON ROUGE, La., Dec. 19—UP—Southern University's ROTC unit won a superior rating in its annual inspection by Col. T. J. Ryan of the office of the Inspector General of Fourth Army, university officials announced Saturday.

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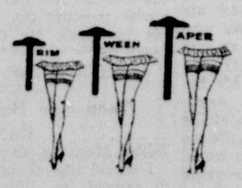

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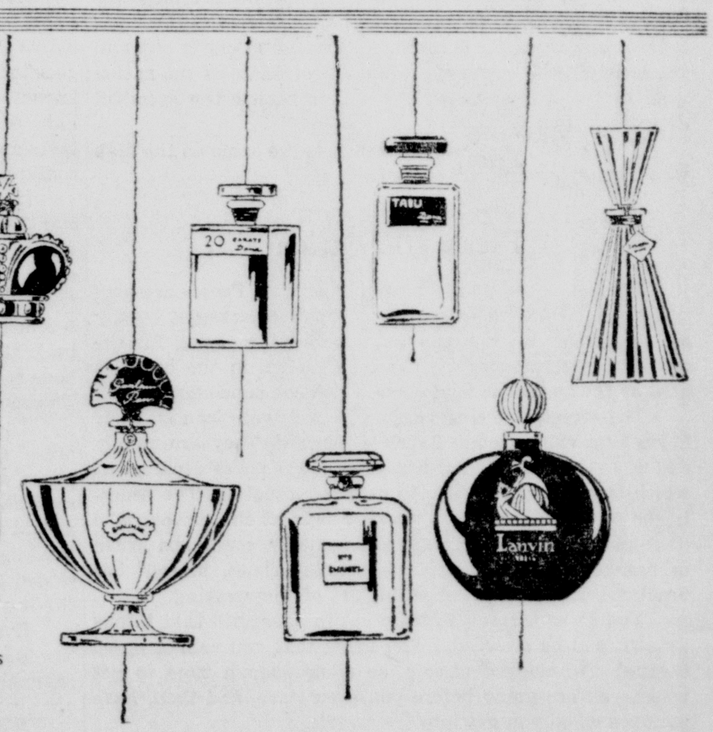

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Apperge by Lanvin	3.00 up
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Woodhue by Faberge	2.50 up
Wind Song by Matchebelle	2.50 up

COSMETICS • STREET FLOOR

Editorials

The Thief

The year has almost come to a close. People all over are wondering what happened to it, some others were hoping it would hurry up and end, while still others are worrying about what might happen in the one to come.

The year of 1953 saw the entrance of the first Republican administration in many years. Some who had hoped for a complete and necessary change, were in for a shock, it didn't come about as planned and promised. However, there was a decided change for the better, certain improvements have been made over the past administrations and certain others will probably be made. The thing most people like to attempt to forget is the main problem facing the nation which can easily be summed up as the grave threat to national survival. That many people either underestimate it or choose to put it in the back of their minds, is not even a question for debate.

Only last week, a local merchant was quoted concerning some of the unfortunate robberies being carried out here in town saying, "let's cut out the Communism issue and write about something serious, the thieves". The statement, made in all innocence is, unfortunately, double talk. The Communists are the greatest thieves on the face of the earth. They represent a threat so great as to overshadow even the dread Mafia which is said to control all of the gangster interests in the nation. The Communists represent the destruction of that merchant's store, his business, his freedom, and his God. They, if their well laid plans are allowed to succeed, already have this man on their death lists, and are even now deliberating as to how to extinguish his life along with a third of his fellow citizens.

The threat made by this force is grave as it also contains an inside operation. Just as many thieves use an inside operation in their thievery against merchants such as himself, they use an inside operation to ruin the United States, a gigantic business also operated by this very same merchant. He asserted that the Communists are not numerous enough to take over this nation, an argument which has no meaning whatsoever as the numbers of the actual revolutionaries or thieves have no bearing on the case. It is their accomplices who count. There are many of these accomplices who have been either bribed, duped or deluded into helping the thieves who are about to take your nation.

To refuse to take the Communists or materialists seriously and to ask someone to "cut it out," when the truth is essential, is much on the order of asking the police to "cut it out" when they attempt to arrest a murdering thief who has invaded the privacy of your home and business. Worse, this thief has had accomplices not only in the national police department but in the government itself and he has been advising the government, through his friends as to how to apprehend himself!

Every newspaper, every public official has the duty to the people of this nation to report the truth and to act as apprehenders of these thieves. However, so powerful has this particular thief become that he can, through his cohorts, control the thinking of a national political party with an eye toward the other one. So powerful has this thief become, that he controls 800 million people and one quarter of the Earth's surface. He is so powerful that he possesses the secrets of nature and appears to be ready to use them when he feels the time is right.

From all appearances, statements to the contrary, his followers who are more on the order of religiously inclined zealots following his religion, are increasing instead of decreasing. The records bear this out. Nation after nation has already succumbed and more are in terrible danger.

Therefore, who is more dangerous to this merchant? The thief who steals merchandise, or the thief who would steal the whole business, the man's life and his nation? The answer should be obvious. Unless all the people across the nation realize these dangers of this thief, he may succeed. If the hands of the police forces of the world are shackled by organizations representing the best interests of the thief, indeed, he can easily succeed. Rather than "cut it out and get serious", the newspapers and the officials of the nation need to get even more serious and to realize the dreadful dangers involved.

The thief. Your lack of interest is the same as the man who argues against his arrest.

Please Be Patient

The holiday season is here in a big way. People are hurrying around the business district getting packages, buying gifts, meeting other people and generally preparing for the day of Christmas itself. The result down in the business area as far as traffic is concerned, is near pandemonium.

The streets are clogged, and irate drivers lean on their horns in a vain attempt to move forward. They are merely adding to the confusion and troubles of the police department which is working overtime to help the situation. The pedestrians are sometimes seen shaking fists at the drivers who attempt to get through, but who sometimes perhaps brush or nearly miss a pedestrian who many times, himself has practiced the old and dangerous art of "jaywalking."

You know before you start out in your auto that things uptown will be crowded. You know that you cannot speed through the clogged streets, so allow enough time to get where you are going before you even leave, and then, have patience when you get into the traffic.

This season is supposed to be one of good will. You can make it that if you try. Irate words and gestures in traffic have no ability to help the situation.

So, please, be patient.

Bloc Voting–Path To Destruction

There are those candidates to a public office who are always anxious to "line up" a certain segment of the American population against the others on the grounds that the segment involved will be better off if the candidate involved attains a victory in the election. Many times, votes are presumed to be bought, and entire segments of the population go for one candidate. This is as un-American in principle as it is ancient and historical.

Ever since the days of the Greek democracies or republics, there have been attempts to get a certain segment to vote against the other segment regardless of the issues involved or the merits of the candidate for public office. It would be nice to say that there is no "bloc voting" anymore but it would be untrue. Unfortunately, the last election brought the facts home to Louisiana and the South when President Eisenhower was defeated in both South Carolina and Louisiana by a minority group voting "down the line" for Governor Stevenson. That this statement is true, cannot be denied as the vote by precinct bears it out compared with the population therein. A study made of certain precincts in this state will show which way went their vote in a vast majority. The same holds true for the city of Monroe. It is a fact that several "rallies" were held to insure the vote going in the direction anticipated by certain politicians involved. Needless to say, it went that way. Some precincts showed over a hundred votes for Stevenson, six or seven for Eisenhower. The vote was too lopsided to be mere coincidence.

As the record of the Eisenhower administration has shown, the President has helped the Southern people more than did Truman or Roosevelt, no matter what those two might have said. Therefore, some of the people were advised to vote against their own benefit and good. There are countless other examples on this subject not only involving minority groups but segments of the population along the lines of the farmers versus the city folks, the cattle ranchers versus the homesteaders (do you remember the trouble and terror that caused?) and the railroads versus the trucklines.

Bloc voting on any point is just as dangerous as it is vicious and thoughtless. Who wants to live in a free nation if he is to be told how to vote because someone else has supposedly his interest at heart? Who wants to be led to the polls as sheep are led to the slaughter? Apparently a lot of people as the last national election tended to show. This is precisely what the Communists desire and they are working night and day to see that the American people are trained along the lines of automatons. They are working at all hours to incite class warfare, racial hatred and group antipathy. They are doing this with the eye for destruction of this nation, and there are politicians who cooperate in this endeavor 100% whether they know it or not.

The time has come to stop this needless bloc voting. Vote for the merits of the candidate involved rather than any other thing he might tell you. If you know him to be a fearless man, not dictated to by a group of partisan politicians, he deserves your support. He does not deserve it if he asks you to vote for him because your "class" is "in his heart" or because you represent some minority vote. If he asks for minority group support, he wants you to forget that you are Americans first instead of something else. Therefore, he does not deserve your support.

Bloc voting is indeed a sure way to destruction.

Dr. Wittmer's Book They're At It Again

The New York Times and the New York Herald Tribune have book reviews which go all over the nation. They are accepted by many bookstores as something approaching the untouchable. The books they recommend are considered the best. In many cases, indeed, they are. However, in past years, both of these book reviews have been infiltrated by those friends and agents of the Soviet Union.

It was these two reviews which took the literary lead in attacking Chiang's position on the mainland and building up the Chinese Communists as "simple agrarian reformers" The leftists had captured these reviews, each one praising the other's book and no patriot was even given the space of any type review. For awhile, it was believed that the reviews had completely mended their ways but new evidence has come up to point out the otherwise. Dr. Felix Wittmer who is an author of great interest, an author who knows the totalitarians for what they are (he was chased out of Germany by Hitler) has written a new book, another in his series of excellent material. It is entitled "The Yalta Betrayal" and it should be a must for every American.

Dr. Wittmer's only mistake as an author in these days and times, especially if he wants to get ahead in the business, is to have printed the truth. The Yalta Betrayal is a graphic, event by event, description of the losing of the peace before it was ever won by the Americans and the British. The book goes into each little detail, bringing out facts heretofore not known by the average American. He gives the facts in the light of their bearing on the events soon to transpire. He gives an insight into the government at the time of the Yalta conference and he does not spare the words.

In the first place, his book was feared from the outset and there were attempts to stop its publication. It is a known fact that many of the "big conservative" publishing houses refused to take the book. In this, they did the nation and their readers an injustice of the very first magnitude. In the second place, when a smaller publishing house finally took the book, it was not reviewed and not praised as indeed it should have been. Not a review appeared in the Times or the Herald Tribune's book review.

The left wingers are all out for "freedom of speech and press" and they demand that they be permitted to speak their piece, which they always do, but they do not feel that the shoe should be on the other foot. Now, when a book which should be read by every thinking American, and the word thinking takes in a great segment of the population not included by many who don't think the Americans can think, the book not only is not reviewed, it is shunned like poison.

Every American needs a copy of The Yalta Betrayal.

Book reviews to the contrary, it is an important historical analyzation of a catastrophe.

PORTRAITS

By James J. Metcalfe

On Earth For Others

GOD gives us faith and courage strong . . . And grace from day to day . . . But He expects our hearts to be . . . Prepared to win our way . . . To keep His great Commandments and . . . To do His holy will . . . And every promise that we make . . . To faithfully fulfill . . . To give ourselves to other souls . . . As much as we are able . . . And serve them better food than which . . . Is common to our table . . . Our life on earth is not to live . . . Just merely for ourselves . . . But so much more the joys we store . . . Upon our neighbors' shelves . . . To be unselfish in our hearts . . . And in our words and deeds . . . As much as we may minister . . . To other people's needs.

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Public Forum—Voice Of All The People

Christianity In Our Time

West Monroe, La.

Editor, Morning World:

Your editorial in the News-Star—World last Wednesday, December 16, on "Dialectical Materialism Denies God" is one of the best descriptions of that doctrine that I have ever read.

Although I am still in my fifties I have been in the ministry 40 years, educated in Christian colleges and seminaries and have heard and had the opportunity to witness a lot of movements by various personalities in my day, but you are one of the most unusual persons I have ever known.

You, a young man still in your middle twenties, editorial writer for a large daily newspaper, making one of the greatest efforts and fights to save fundamental Christianity in our time.

It was my privilege to see and hear William Jennings Bryan, the silver tongued orator maybe of all time. He gave the declining years of his rich, ripe experiences to try and save Christianity from godless materialism.

But you are a young man, not long out of the teen age, yet there you are, writing editorials with the wisdom and intelligence of a Bryan to try and save the heart of Christianity.

Young man, my hat's off to you. I may not agree with all you say about politics, but I realize you are not an ordinary young editor trying to play safe and looking out for your own security, you are a young man trying to save some fundaments that made our nation great.

A. T. MITCHELL.

Pastor, Ridge Avenue Baptist Church.

Unable To Laugh

Scott, La.

Dear Chief Tolbert:

I read in three different newspapers about the young man you helped out, not knowing he was an escapee from L. T. I.

The articles seemed to have been designed to produce a laugh from readers but I was unable to laugh at either one.

I did get three facts while reading them, which in fairness I feel I should transmit to you.

1. That there are still a great number of good, kind - hearted people in this world, always willing to give a little boost to a less fortunate one.

2. This boy probably has a father and mother who I am sure, will always keep a soft spot in their hearts for you — I know I would.

3. (And most important) This boy must have certainly come in contact with the police to be at L. T. I. and he could have possibly been left with a sour impression about all policemen. I am wondering what bearing it would have on his future behavior, to go to bed at night and realize that it was a cop who helped him on his way, instead of kicking him in the face as he was previously inclined to believe.

I do not know this boy and I don't know you, but I'll say one thing; if ever I should happen to be stranded in your fair city, I'll remember that there is one, and probably a good number of good, kind-hearted cops in Monroe.

HAYWARD P. DOMINQUE.

(Editor's Note — Our appreciation to Chief of Detectives Hugh Tolbert for releasing his personal letter for publication.)

Human Kindness

Monroe, La.

Editor, The Morning World:

On the front page in last Monday's Morning World was a story proving that not all police officials are hard - hearted and lacking in human kindness. The story told how Chief of Detectives Hugh Tolbert, his sympathies touched by the plight of a Shreveport boy stranded in Monroe, bought the lad a ticket on the bus to Shreveport. The fact came to his attention later that he had actually helped an inmate of the Louisiana Training Institute for delinquent boys, who was away from the institution without proper authorization.

With Christmas at hand, perhaps most of the boys in the L. T. I. yearn for such homes as they have had. The real point of the article, however, is that our chief of detectives, with compassion and kindness in his heart, spent his own money to befriend a lad stranded in a strange city. In my belief, we need more men like Chief Tolbert, and his motives in this instance reflect the highest credit upon him and upon the community he represents as a police official.

MRS. RITA JACKSON.

The Citizen's Business

Monroe, La.

Editor, Morning World:

Beverage alcohol impairs judgment, lessens self control, and weakens will-power. It is habit forming. No total abstainer ever became an alcoholic.

The great Canadian physician, Sir William Osler, was lecturing on alcohol: "Is it true," asked a student, "that alcohol makes people able to do things better?"

"No," replied Sir William, "It just makes them less ashamed of doing them badly."

One bottle of beer, or one glass of wine has about the same amount of alcohol as the usual drink of whiskey. A single drink of beer, wine or whiskey will diminish the drivers precision and attentiveness. It's the alcohol that counts. No one was ever better off for using any intoxicating drink. Alcohol is the greatest single killer on our highways. It's fast getting worse.

The National Safety Council says that one out of every four fatal traffic accidents involves alcohol. This means 8,000 persons are killed, thousands of others injured, and millions of dollars lost in property damage, every year.

Let us see that young people get adequate information as to the fact that very small amounts of alcohol can impair driving ability. Many thousands of young people believe that they drive better after taking a drink or two. How sad to think some believe they perform better when their judgment, self-control and will - power are lessened.

Certainly educational programs pointing up the value of total abstinence are worthwhile.

Let us make our city conscious of the problem of drinking this holiday season as never before.

We urge non - alcoholic drinks at social gatherings, in large industrial affairs and office parties. Youth learns best by example. Who can safely follow your example during the holiday season? Safety is the citizen's business.

MRS. JACK LUCAS.

President, Woman's Christian Temperance Union.

"Dennis" Contest

Monterey, Calif.

Editor, Morning World:

Many thanks for your thoughtfulness in sending along the tear sheets of your "Dennis" contest. I am most pleased to hear of the wonderful response it drew, and hope that "Dennis" may continue to interest and entertain the good readers of your papers.

HANK KETCHAM.

Dennis Winner Confuses T. B. With TV

West Monroe, La.

Editor, Morning World:

Received the $50 U. S. Saving Bond and I want to thank you and judges for Mickey being one of the top three. We were all thrilled.

Mickey's reaction to winning was showing his picture and write up to all who came to our house. A friend of ours brought him a box of candy cigarettes and congratulated him on winning the $50 bond.

Even though the contest is over here is another little menace act of Mickey's and it may have a little Christmas spirit to it.

Just yesterday while addressing Christmas cards and putting the Tuberculosis seals on the envelopes, Mickey was playing with a small kitten at my feet and asking a dozen and one questions about the seals, and I tried to explain about people buying the Christmas seals to alert them to the dangers of T. B. and the next thing I knew Mickey had the kitten just covered with seals and said, "Mama, my kitten won't have T. V. trouble now."

He had so often heard about TV sets and not much about T. B. So, thanks from Mickey & "A Merry Christmas".

MRS. M. E. ANTLEY

Kidnapped Into Slavery

Monroe, La.

Editor, Morning World:

I have read in your paper and various others about the "segregation" subject.

Personally, I feel that the very word "segregation" should make the people in the south bow their heads in shame. The Negroes are in this country through no fault or wish of their own. They were kidnapped and forced into slavery by the greed of the white people. Now that they are free they are scorned and still treated as slaves or worse.

I was born and reared in the south but resentment toward other races was not part of my education. I came from a Christian family that instilled in us that to love all people was akin to Godliness. We never looked first to see the color of a person's skin before we tried to see what was in his heart.

I have traveled extensively and lived in states where all races went to school and church together. I have never known of a white child becoming contaminated by association in school, with other races.

It is every man's right and God's expectations to use talents given him, to best advantage. How can a man do so if he is scorned and brow beaten at every turn? Paying a man for his ability is the only just way to do, regardless of who he is.

I was also taught that God had said that man was made in his image — where did he say only white men — surely we believe there was only one God.

I am sure that most people claim to be Christians and probably go to church every Sunday. How can one have religion only on Sunday? That's what it amounts to. Religion should be practiced every day in the week. Maybe it is just a few narrow - minded ones who are fighting this thing, but I do think I know the general attitude of the south and I must say that I am not too proud of it.

One incident that the fourth district court and especially Judge Heard should be proud of. On Sept. 18 a white man, drunk, according to the arresting officers hit and fatally injured a Negro man on DeSiard St. The man fled from the scene and was followed and apprehended by another person who saw the "accident." This man was cleared by the court, after the state had established that his being drunk constituted the negligence which caused him to strike the Negro. Had it been a Negro who had struck a white man would he have been accorded the same measure of justice? I doubt it.

My attitude toward this subject will be resented by many, I know. But you who scream the loudest just read a little more of your Bible and if you can show me where I am wrong I will be the first to admit it. Your religion is only skin deep and no one knows it better than you do.

Sincerest best wishes for a better world to live.

MRS. FRANCES MITCHELL

P. S. I'll soon know if there truly is "Freedom of the Press".

Segregation By Ultimatum?

Monroe. La.

Editor, Morning World:

Your editorial of December 12th on the issue of segregation is a problem that weighs heavily on many of our minds and is something that should be thought out and met with the greatest consideration for all concerned, both white and colored.

To date this problem, as I see and study the issue as presented, has been used mainly as a "vote getter" and "Communist baiter" by a minority of both white and colored who wish to further their own selfish interests from a financial standpoint and to gain prominence at the expense of all concerned.

I do not believe that any southern born person who is a true American wishes to see any Negro downtrodden or coerced. I sincerely believe that every southern white citizen wants to see the Negro given his fair chance to live and succeed as any other citizen, but on the other hand you can not, by law or any other way, force out of anyone's mind over night (regardless of race) a certain amount of bitterness or social tradition that has been inherited for generations.

This problem must be met equally by both the Negro and the white races. I feel that education and the daily consideration of every man's right, which does not stop at the color of a person's skin, is the very best solution for all concerned.

World War II and the Korean War have done more to bring home to all our people the fact that we are one country and if we are to remain a united people we must abolish prejudice against all minority races.

If we are given an ultimatum by court ruling, I believe it will retard the chances of the Negroes for many years, cause much bitterness and in some cases, bloodshed.

If we are to preach to the Communist world that our way of life is the best, this situation must be studied and solved to the extent that here will be no second class race.

AMERICAN CITIZEN.

(Editor's note — Anyone wishing his name withheld may so designate, but the letter must be signed.)

Real Democrats Turning To GOP For Leadership

Monroe, La.

Editor, Morning World:

Adlai Stevenson with his reference to the depression charged to former President Hoover again demonstrated that present Democratic party "leaders" are ignorant of the basic fundamentals of political science.

It is clear that Adlai and the boys are trying to get the Democrats in control of the next Congress with depression scares. We don't have any depression and the Korean situation has been handled to the satisfaction of the voters.

Adlai has made the biggest political blunder of his career in joining forces with those who play the old depression scare type of politics. His second greatest blunder was accepting Harry Truman's blessings as a Presidential candidate.

As for the four freedoms they are enjoyed by every citizen of this nation only when our nation is not at war. Naturally, our nation did not enjoy the four freedoms when Woodrow Wilson, Franklin Roosevelt, and Harry Truman were president because we were at war and all these men represented the Democratic Party.

The tragic results of all this is that real Democrats have had to turn to the Republican Party for real leadership. This was necessary in order to preserve both our Party ideals and our nation.

The effects of inefficient foreign policy, war and inflation offer the only threats to our enjoyment of the four freedoms today. All these can be charged directly to Wilson, Roosevelt, and Truman and not to Eisenhower.

It is significant to note that three Republican presidents succeeded Wilson and during this time there was no war scare. Our nation returned to war and its effect on our economic society only after the Democrats returned to control under Roosevelt.

Unlike Harding, Coolidge and Hoover, President Eisenhower enjoys support and enthusiasm from both parties because he is the choice of all Americans who decided to risk their nation's future on a man who is not a politician. President Eisenhower's ability as a statesman is daily being proven and that fact alone should insure re-election of the Republicans to a majority in the Congress and insure a continuation of his good work.

A final word to Mr. Stevenson. You and Harry Truman speak for the Democratic Party. Mr. Eisenhower permits the American people to speak for the Republican party.

ARTHUR M. LE BLANC, JR.

Teen-Age Delinquency

MANGHAM, LA.

Editor Morning World:

I would like to say a few words in regard to "Juvenile Dequinquency" or teen-age boys that are confined in these correctional institutions. I notice by the papers and different sources of information that crime committed by these teen-age boys have increased more than 60 per cent and it looks like it is high time something should be done about this.

On or about October 23rd three of these L.T.I. boys got away in the night time, stole a Buick car and barefooted and half-naked came by and burglarized my store to the extent of about $300 and went on their way, knowing that all could be done with them was: Send them back to the reform school and as evidence they left an all wool L.T.I. blanket in the store.

I understand that two of these boys are originally from Winnsboro.

Anybody that will lie will steal and kill and these boys know right from wrong and such crimes as these should be booked against them and when they become the proper age should be tried in court and dealt with as any other criminal.

MIKE L. BELL

"The Boston Tea Party"

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We are in a recession, Mr. Editor, and half of the people and professional men and small business men are having tough sledding. Remember, Mr. Taxpayer is one to protest and follow your protest up at the ballot box. You need not be afraid to come on out in the open and join your brother taxpayers in a fight against extravagance, waste and disregard of your rights. We don't have to have a big organization and raise money, just buckle on the sword of courage and independence and assert your rights and follow the old American method of protesting like the boys did at Boston when they threw the tea overboard the ship into the cold and salty waters of the Atlantic Ocean and called it "The Boston Tea Party."

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Editor, Morning World:

Am going to say my bit on the soldiers who refuse to return home. They were made to go over there. Why not make them return? Then, if they want to go back, let them.

If they want to be Communists we don't want them, but for their families' sake, who grieved because they had to go, I believe the government should bring them back for perhaps they have been mistreated so they don't know what they want.

I have no boys over there. Thank God, though I have a daughter and son in the service, and both have served overseas.

MRS. ELLA V. FORE

On Segregation

Monroe, La.

Editor, Morning World:

Your editorials are always read with interest. Today's "On Segregation" is very good. To be "fair" covers a lot of territory. In fact to my mind it can solve all problems. If more people would accept what being fair means regardless of how it might ruffle one's personal feelings, it would be great.

Your editorial approach to this controversial subject should be appreciated by your reading public.

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THOUGHTS

Trouble and anguish shall make him afraid; they shall prevail against him, as a king ready to the battle.—Job 15:24.

Shun fear, it is the ague of the soul! a passion man created for himself — for sure that cramp of nature could not dwell in the warm realms of glory.—Aaron Hill.

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Editorials

The Thief

The year has almost come to a close. People all over are wondering what happened to it, some others were hoping it would hurry up and end, while still others are worrying about what might happen in the one to come.

The year of 1953 saw the entrance of the first Republican administration in many years. Some who had hoped for a complete and necessary change, were in for a shock, it didn't come about as planned and promised. However, there was a decided change for the better, certain improvements have been made over the past administrations and certain others will probably be made. The thing most people like to attempt to forget is the main problem facing the nation which can easily be summed up as the grave threat to national survival. That many people either underestimate it or choose to put it in the back of their minds, is not even a question for debate.

Only last week, a local merchant was quoted concerning some of the unfortunate robberies being carried out here in town saying, "let's cut out the Communism issue and write about something serious, the thieves". The statement, made in all innocence is, unfortunately, double talk. The Communists are the greatest thieves on the face of the earth. They represent a threat so great as to overshadow even the dread Mafia which is said to control all of the gangster interests in the nation. The Communists represent the destruction of that merchant's store, his business, his freedom, and his God. They, if their well laid plans are allowed to succeed, already have this man on their death lists, and are even now deliberating as to how to extinguish his life along with a third of his fellow citizens.

The threat made by this force is grave as it also contains an inside operation. Just as many thieves use an inside operation in their thievery against merchants such as himself, they use an inside operation to ruin the United States, a gigantic business also operated by this very same merchant. He asserted that the Communists are not numerous enough to take over this nation, an argument which has no meaning whatsoever as the numbers of the actual revolutionaries or thieves have no bearing on the case. It is their accomplices who count. There are many of these accomplices who have been either bribed, duped or deluded into helping the thieves who are about to take your nation.

To refuse to take the Communists or materialists seriously and to ask someone to "cut it out," when the truth is essential, is much on the order of asking the police to "cut it out" when they attempt to arrest a murdering thief who has invaded the privacy of your home and business. Worse, this thief has had accomplices not only in the national police department but in the government itself and he has been advising the government, through his friends as to how to apprehend himself!

Every newspaper, every public official has the duty to the people of this nation to report the truth and to act as apprehenders of these thieves. However, so powerful has this particular thief become that he can, through his cohorts, control the thinking of a national political party with an eye toward the other one. So powerful has this thief become, that he controls 800 million people and one quarter of the Earth's surface. He is so powerful that he possesses the secrets of nature and appears to be ready to use them when he feels the time is right.

From all appearances, statements to the contrary, his followers who are more on the order of religiously inclined zealots following his religion, are increasing instead of decreasing. The records bear this out. Nation after nation has already succumbed and more are in terrible danger.

Therefore, who is more dangerous to this merchant? The thief who steals merchandise, or the thief who would steal the whole business, the man's life and his nation? The answer should be obvious. Unless all the people across the nation realize these dangers of this thief, he may succeed. If the hands of the police forces of the world are shackled by organizations representing the best interests of the thief, indeed, he can easily succeed. Rather than "cut it out and get serious", the newspapers and the officials of the nation need to get even more serious and to realize the dreadful dangers involved.

The thief. Your lack of interest is the same as the man who argues against his arrest.

Please Be Patient

The holiday season is here in a big way. People are hurrying around the business district getting packages, buying gifts, meeting other people and generally preparing for the day of Christmas itself. The result down in the business area as far as traffic is concerned, is near pandemonium.

The streets are clogged, and irate drivers lean on their horns in a vain attempt to move forward. They are merely adding to the confusion and troubles of the police department which is working overtime to help the situation. The pedestrians are sometimes seen shaking fists at the drivers who attempt to get through, but who sometimes perhaps brush or nearly miss a pedestrian who many times, himself has practiced the old and dangerous art of "jaywalking."

You know before you start out in your auto that things uptown will be crowded. You know that you cannot speed through the clogged streets, so allow enough time to get where you are going before you even leave, and then, have patience when you get into the traffic.

This season is supposed to be one of good will. You can make it that if you try. Irate words and gestures in traffic have no ability to help the situation.

So, please, be patient.

Bloc Voting–Path To Destruction

There are those candidates to a public office who are always anxious to "line up" a certain segment of the American population against the others on the grounds that the segment involved will be better off if the candidate involved attains a victory in the election. Many times, votes are presumed to be bought, and entire segments of the population go for one candidate. This is as un-American in principle as it is ancient and historical.

Ever since the days of the Greek democracies or republics, there have been attempts to get a certain segment to vote against the other segment regardless of the issues involved or the merits of the candidate for public office. It would be nice to say that there is no "bloc voting" anymore but it would be untrue. Unfortunately, the last election brought the facts home to Louisiana and the South when President Eisenhower was defeated in both South Carolina and Louisiana by a minority group voting "down the line" for Governor Stevenson. That this statement is true, cannot be denied as the vote by precinct bears it out compared with the population therein. A study made of certain precincts in this state will show which way went their vote in a vast majority. The same holds true for the city of Monroe. It is a fact that several "rallies" were held to insure the vote going in the direction anticipated by certain politicians involved. Needless to say, it went that way. Some precincts showed over a hundred votes for Stevenson, six or seven for Eisenhower. The vote was too lopsided to be mere coincidence.

As the record of the Eisenhower administration has shown, the President has helped the Southern people more than did Truman or Roosevelt, no matter what those two might have said. Therefore, some of the people were advised to vote against their own benefit and good. There are countless other examples on this subject not only involving minority groups but segments of the population along the lines of the farmers versus the city folks, the cattle ranchers versus the homesteaders (do you remember the trouble and terror that caused?) and the railroads versus the trucklines.

Bloc voting on any point is just as dangerous as it is vicious and thoughtless. Who wants to live in a free nation if he is to be told how to vote because someone else has supposedly his interest at heart? Who wants to be led to the polls as sheep are led to the slaughter? Apparently a lot of people as the last national election tended to show. This is precisely what the Communists desire and they are working night and day to see that the American people are trained along the lines of automatons. They are working at all hours to incite class warfare, racial hatred and group antipathy. They are doing this with the eye for destruction of this nation, and there are politicians who cooperate in this endeavor 100% whether they know it or not.

The time has come to stop this needless bloc voting. Vote for the merits of the candidate involved rather than any other thing he might tell you. If you know him to be a fearless man, not dictated to by a group of partisan politicians, he deserves your support. He does not deserve it if he asks you to vote for him because your "class" is "in his heart" or because you represent some minority vote. If he asks for minority group support, he wants you to forget that you are Americans first instead of something else. Therefore, he does not deserve your support.

Bloc voting is indeed a sure way to destruction.

Dr. Wittmer's Book They're At It Again

The New York Times and the New York Herald Tribune have book reviews which go all over the nation. They are accepted by many bookstores as something approaching the untouchable. The books they recommend are considered the best. In many cases, indeed, they are. However, in past years, both of these book reviews have been infiltrated by those friends and agents of the Soviet Union.

It was these two reviews which took the literary lead in attacking Chiang's position on the mainland and building up the Chinese Communists as "simple agrarian reformers" The leftists had captured these reviews, each one praising the other's book and no patriot was even given the space of any type review. For awhile, it was believed that the reviews had completely mended their ways but new evidence has come up to point out the otherwise. Dr. Felix Wittmer who is an author of great interest, an author who knows the totalitarians for what they are (he was chased out of Germany by Hitler) has written a new book, another in his series of excellent material. It is entitled "The Yalta Betrayal" and it should be a must for every American.

Dr. Wittmer's only mistake as an author in these days and times, especially if he wants to get ahead in the business, is to have printed the truth. The Yalta Betrayal is a graphic, event by event, description of the losing of the peace before it was ever won by the Americans and the British. The book goes into each little detail, bringing out facts heretofore not known by the average American. He gives the facts in the light of their bearing on the events soon to transpire. He gives an insight into the government at the time of the Yalta conference and he does not spare the words.

In the first place, his book was feared from the outset and there were attempts to stop its publication. It is a known fact that many of the "big conservative" publishing houses refused to take the book. In this, they did the nation and their readers an injustice of the very first magnitude. In the second place, when a smaller publishing house finally took the book, it was not reviewed and not praised as indeed it should have been. Not a review appeared in the Times or the Herald Tribune's book review.

The left wingers are all out for "freedom of speech and press" and they demand that they be permitted to speak their piece, which they always do, but they do not feel that the shoe should be on the other foot. Now, when a book which should be read by every thinking American, and the word thinking takes in a great segment of the population not included by many who don't think the Americans can think, the book not only is not reviewed, it is shunned like poison.

Every American needs a copy of The Yalta Betrayal.

Book reviews to the contrary, it is an important historical analyzation of a catastrophe.

PORTRAITS

By James J. Metcalfe

On Earth For Others

GOD gives us faith and courage strong . . . And grace from day to day . . . But He expects our hearts to be . . . Prepared to win our way . . . To keep His great Commandments and . . . To do His holy will . . . And every promise that we make . . . To faithfully fulfill . . . To give ourselves to other souls . . . As much as we are able . . . And serve them better food than which . . . Is common to our table . . . Our life on earth is not to live . . . Just merely for ourselves . . . But so much more the joys we store . . . Upon our neighbors' shelves . . . To be unselfish in our hearts . . . And in our words and deeds . . . As much as we may minister . . . To other people's needs.

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Public Forum—Voice Of All The People

Christianity In Our Time

West Monroe, La.

Editor, Morning World:

Your editorial in the News-Star—World last Wednesday, December 16, on "Dialectical Materialism Denies God" is one of the best descriptions of that doctrine that I have ever read.

Although I am still in my fifties I have been in the ministry 40 years, educated in Christian colleges and seminaries and have heard and had the opportunity to witness a lot of movements by various personalities in my day, but you are one of the most unusual persons I have ever known.

You, a young man still in your middle twenties, editorial writer for a large daily newspaper, making one of the greatest efforts and fights to save fundamental Christianity in our time.

It was my privilege to see and hear William Jennings Bryan, the silver tongued orator maybe of all time. He gave the declining years of his rich, ripe experiences to try and save Christianity from godless materialism.

But you are a young man, not long out of the teen age, yet there you are, writing editorials with the wisdom and intelligence of a Bryan to try and save the heart of Christianity.

Young man, my hat's off to you. I may not agree with all you say about politics, but I realize you are not an ordinary young editor trying to play safe and looking out for your own security, you are a young man trying to save some fundaments that made our nation great.

A. T. MITCHELL.
Pastor, Ridge Avenue Baptist Church.

Unable To Laugh

Scott, La.

Dear Chief Tolbert:

I read in three different newspapers about the young man you helped out, not knowing he was an escapee from L. T. I.

The articles seemed to have been designed to produce a laugh from readers but I was unable to laugh at either one.

I did get three facts while reading them, which in fairness I feel I should transmit to you.

1. That there are still a great number of good, kind - hearted people in this world, always willing to give a little boost to a less fortunate one.

2. This boy probably has a father and mother who I am sure, will always keep a soft spot in their hearts for you — I know I would.

3. (And most important) This boy must have certainly come in contact with the police to be at L. T. I. and he could have possibly been left with a sour impression about all policemen. I am wondering what bearing it would have on his future behavior, to go to bed at night and realize that it was a cop who helped him on his way, instead of kicking him in the face as he was previously inclined to believe.

I do not know this boy and I don't know you, but I'll say one thing; if ever I should happen to be stranded in your fair city, I'll remember that there is one, and probably a good number of good, kind-hearted cops in Monroe.

HAYWARD P. DOMINQUE.

(Editor's Note — Our appreciation to Chief of Detectives Hugh Tolbert for releasing his personal letter for publication.)

Human Kindness

Monroe, La.

Editor, The Morning World:

On the front page in last Monday's Morning World was a story proving that not all police officials are hard - hearted and lacking in human kindness. The story told how Chief of Detectives Hugh Tolbert, his sympathies touched by the plight of a Shreveport boy stranded in Monroe, bought the lad a ticket on the bus to Shreveport. The fact came to his attention later that he had actually helped an inmate of the Louisiana Training Institute for delinquent boys, who was away from the institution without proper authorization.

With Christmas at hand, perhaps most of the boys in the L. T. I. yearn for such homes as they have had. The real point of the article, however, is that our chief of detectives, with compassion and kindness in his heart, spent his own money to befriend a lad stranded in a strange city. In my belief, we need more men like Chief Tolbert, and his motives in this instance reflect the highest credit upon him and upon the community he represents as a police official.

MRS. RITA JACKSON.

The Citizen's Business

Monroe, La.

Editor, Morning World:

Beverage alcohol impairs judgment, lessens self control, and weakens will-power. It is habit forming. No total abstainer ever became an alcoholic.

The great Canadian physician, Sir William Osler, was lecturing on alcohol: "Is it true," asked a student, "that alcohol makes people able to do things better?"

"No," replied Sir William, "It just makes them less ashamed of doing them badly."

One bottle of beer, or one glass of wine has about the same amount of alcohol as the usual drink of whiskey. A single drink of beer, wine or whiskey will diminish the drivers precision and attentiveness. It's the alcohol that counts. No one was ever better off for using any intoxicating drink. Alcohol is the greatest single killer on our highways. It's fast getting worse.

The National Safety Council says that one out of every four fatal traffic accidents involves alcohol. This means 8,000 persons are killed, thousands of others injured, and millions of dollars lost in property damage, every year.

Let us see that young people get adequate information as to the fact that very small amounts of alcohol can impair driving ability. Many thousands of young people believe that they drive better after taking a drink or two. How sad to think some believe they perform better when their judgment, self-control and will - power are lessened.

Certainly educational programs pointing up the value of total abstinence are worthwhile.

Let us make our city conscious of the problem of drinking this holiday season as never before.

We urge non - alcoholic drinks at social gatherings, in large industrial affairs and office parties. Youth learns best by example. Who can safely follow your example during the holiday season? Safety is the citizen's business.

MRS. JACK LUCAS.
President, Woman's Christian Temperance Union.

"Dennis" Contest

Monterey, Calif.

Editor, Morning World:

Many thanks for your thoughtfulness in sending along the tear sheets of your "Dennis" contest. I am most pleased to hear of the wonderful response it drew, and hope that "Dennis" may continue to interest and entertain the good readers of your papers.

HANK KETCHAM.

Dennis Winner Confuses T. B. With TV

West Monroe, La.

Editor, Morning World:

Received the $50 U. S. Saving Bond and I want to thank you and judges for Mickey being one of the top three. We were all thrilled.

Mickey's reaction to winning was showing his picture and write up to all who came to our house. A friend of ours brought him a box of candy cigarettes and congratulated him on winning the $50 bond.

Even though the contest is over here is another little menace act of Mickey's and it may have a little Christmas spirit to it.

Just yesterday while addressing Christmas cards and putting the Tuberculosis seals on the envelopes, Mickey was playing with a small kitten at my feet and asking a dozen and one questions about the seals, and I tried to explain about people buying the Christmas seals to alert them to the dangers of T. B. and the next thing I knew Mickey had the kitten just covered with seals and said, "Mama, my kitten won't have T. V. trouble now."

He had so often heard about TV sets and not much about T. B. So, thanks from Mickey & "A Merry Christmas".

MRS. M. E. ANTLEY

Kidnapped Into Slavery

Monroe, La.

Editor, Morning World:

I have read in your paper and various others about the "segregation" subject.

Personally, I feel that the very word "segregation" should make the people in the south bow their heads in shame. The Negroes are in this country through no fault or wish of their own. They were kidnapped and forced into slavery by the greed of the white people. Now that they are free they are scorned and still treated as slaves or worse.

I was born and reared in the south but resentment toward other races was not part of my education. I came from a Christian family that instilled in us that to love all people was akin to Godliness. We never looked first to see the color of a person's skin before we tried to see what was in his heart.

I have traveled extensively and lived in states where all races went to school and church together. I have never known of a white child becoming contaminated by association in school, with other races.

It is every man's right and God's expectations to use talents given him, to best advantage. How can a man do so if he is scorned and brow beaten at every turn? Paying a man for his ability is the only just way to do, regardless of who he is.

I was also taught that God had said that man was made in his image — where did he say only white men — surely we believe there was only one God.

I am sure that most people claim to be Christians and probably go to church every Sunday. How can one have religion only on Sunday? That's what it amounts to. Religion should be practiced every day in the week. Maybe it is just a few narrow - minded ones who are fighting this thing, but I do think I know the general attitude of the south and I must say that I am not too proud of it.

One incident that the fourth district court and especially Judge Heard should be proud of. On Sept. 18 a white man, drunk, according to the arresting officers hit and fatally injured a Negro man on DeSiard St. The man fled from the scene and was followed and apprehended by another person who saw the "accident." This man was cleared by the court, after the state had established that his being drunk constituted the negligence which caused him to strike the Negro. Had it been a Negro who had struck a white man would he have been accorded the same measure of justice? I doubt it.

My attitude toward this subject will be resented by many, I know. But you who scream the loudest just read a little more of your Bible and if you can show me where I am wrong I will be the first to admit it. Your religion is only skin-deep and no one knows it better than you do,

Sincerest best wishes for a better world to live.

MRS. FRANCES MITCHELL

P. S. I'll soon know if there truly is "Freedom of the Press".

Segregation By Ultimatum?

Monroe La.

Editor, Morning World:

Your editorial of December 12th on the issue of segregation is a problem that weighs heavily on many of our minds and is something that should be thought out and met with the greatest consideration for all concerned, both white and colored.

To date this problem, as I see and study the issue as presented, has been used mainly as a "vote getter" and "Communist baiter" by a minority of both white and colored who wish to further their own selfish interests from a financial standpoint and to gain prominence at the expense of all concerned.

I do not believe that any southern born person who is a true American wishes to see any Negro downtrodden or coerced. I sincerely believe that every southern white citizen wants to see the Negro given his fair chance to live and succeed as any other citizen, but on the other hand you can not, by law or any other way, force out of anyone's mind over night (regardless of race) a certain amount of bitterness or social tradition that has been inherited for generations.

This problem must be met equally by both the Negro and the white races. I feel that education and the daily consideration of every man's right, which does not stop at the color of a person's skin, is the very best solution for all concerned.

World War II and the Korean War have done more to bring home to all our people the fact that we are one country and if we are to remain a united people we must abolish prejudice against all minority races.

If we are given an ultimatum by court ruling, I believe it will retard the chances of the Negroes for many years, cause much bitterness and in some cases, bloodshed.

If we are to preach to the Communist world that our way of life is the best, this situation must be studied and solved to the extent that here will be no second class race.

AMERICAN CITIZEN.

(Editor's note — Anyone wishing his name withheld may so designate, but the letter must be signed.)

Real Democrats Turning To GOP For Leadership

Monroe, La.

Editor, Morning World:

Adlai Stevenson with his reference to the depression charged to former President Hoover again demonstrated that present Democratic party "leaders" are ignorant of the basic fundamentals of political science.

It is clear that Adlai and the boys are trying to get the Democrats in control of the next Congress with depression scares. We don't have any depression and the Korean situation has been handled to the satisfaction of the voters.

Adlai has made the biggest political blunder of his career in joining forces with those who play the old depression scare type of politics. His second greatest blunder was accepting Harry Truman's blessings as a Presidential candidate.

As for the four freedoms they are enjoyed by every citizen of this nation only when our nation is not at war. Naturally, our nation did not enjoy the four freedoms when Woodrow Wilson, Franklin Roosevelt, and Harry Truman were president because we were at war and all these men represented the Democratic Party.

The tragic results of all this is that real Democrats have had to turn to the Republican Party for real leadership. This was necessary in order to preserve both our Party ideals and our nation.

The effects of inefficient foreign policy, war and inflation offer the only threats to our enjoyment of the four freedoms today. All these can be charged directly to Wilson, Roosevelt, and Truman and not to Eisenhower.

It is significant to note that three Republican presidents succeeded Wilson and during this time there was no war scare. Our nation returned to war and its effect on our economic society only after the Democrats returned to control under Roosevelt.

Unlike Harding, Coolidge and Hoover, President Eisenhower enjoys support and enthusiasm from both parties because he is the choice of all Americans who decided to risk their nation's future on a man who is not a politician. President Eisenhower's ability as a statesman is daily being proven and that fact alone should insure re-election of the Republicans to a majority in the Congress and insure a continuation of his good work.

A final word to Mr. Stevenson. You and Harry Truman speak for the Democratic Party. Mr. Eisenhower permits the American people to speak for the Republican party.

ARTHUR M. LE BLANC, JR.

Teen-Age Delinquency

MANGHAM, LA.

Editor Morning World:

I would like to say a few words in regard to "Juvenile Dequinquency" or teen-age boys that are confined in these correctional institutions. I notice by the papers and different sources of information that crime committed by these teen-age boys have increased more than 60 per cent and it looks like it is high time something should be done about this.

On or about October 23rd three of these L.T.I. boys got away in the night time, stole a Buick car and barefooted and half-naked came by and burglarized my store to the extent of about $300 and went on their way, knowing that all could be done with them was: Send them back to the reform school and as evidence they left an all wool L.T.I. blanket in the store.

I understand that two of these boys are originally from Winnsboro.

Anybody that will lie will steal and kill and these boys know right from wrong and such crimes as these should be booked against them and when they become the proper age should be tried in court and dealt with as any other criminal.

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The state contributes 11.28 per cent and teachers 6 per cent of their salaries. The system, according to the study, will have an 80 million dollar reserve fund by the end of the fiscal 1953.

The public share could operate all the state's mental hospitals and the public health department as well, PAR said.

Several states, like Indiana with twice as many teachers and New Mexico which asks nothing from the teachers, pay higher monthly retirement checks without receiving as much public cost.

The report said Louisiana could go on paying pensions for five years without dipping into the reserve.

In addition to public contributions, the system also receives nearly two million a year from investments.

PAR suggested cutting both public and teacher contributions to four per cent to provide "an increase in take home pay for teachers while still producing revenue of about six million a year, aside from potential investment of about two million."

It called for a "re-evaluation of the system to meet the "rising pressures" for more education funds in Louisiana. The state board of education has already asked a increase in the public school budget for the next two fiscal years.

GAMBLERS! LOOK OUT

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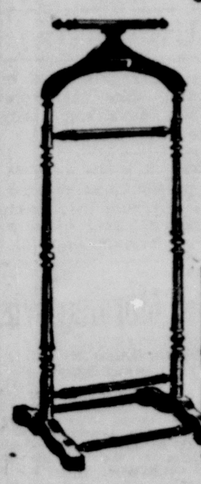

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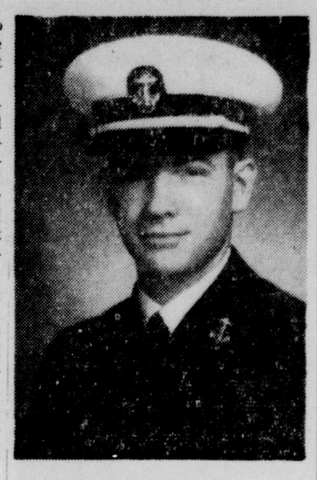

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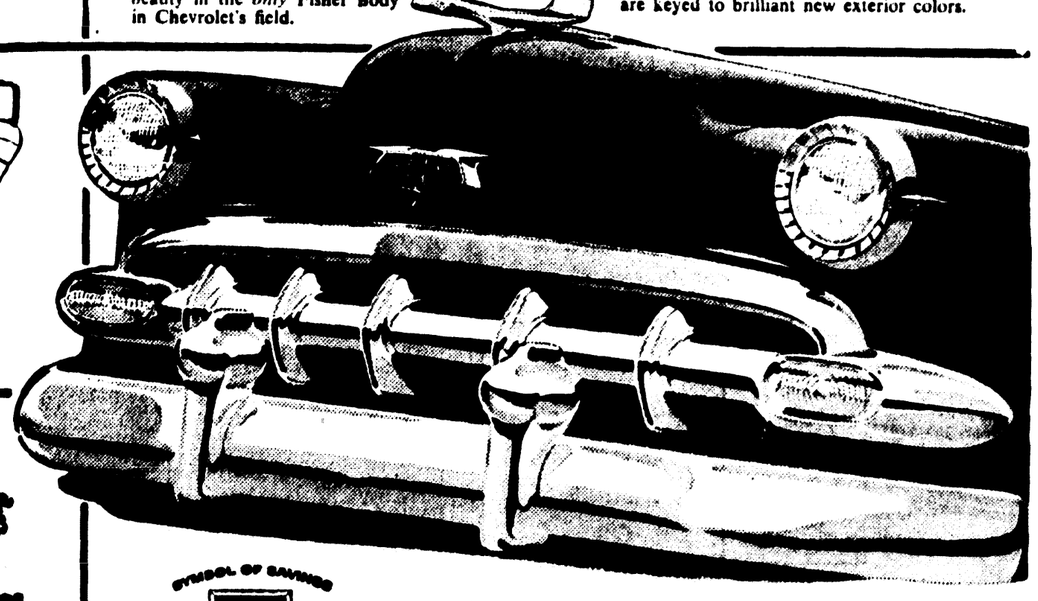

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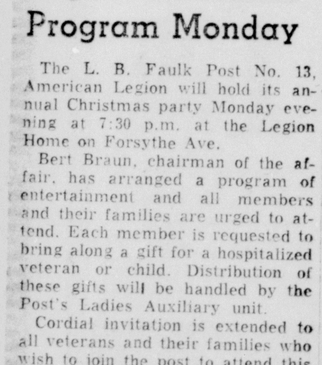

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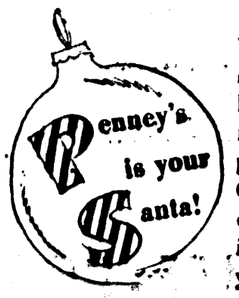

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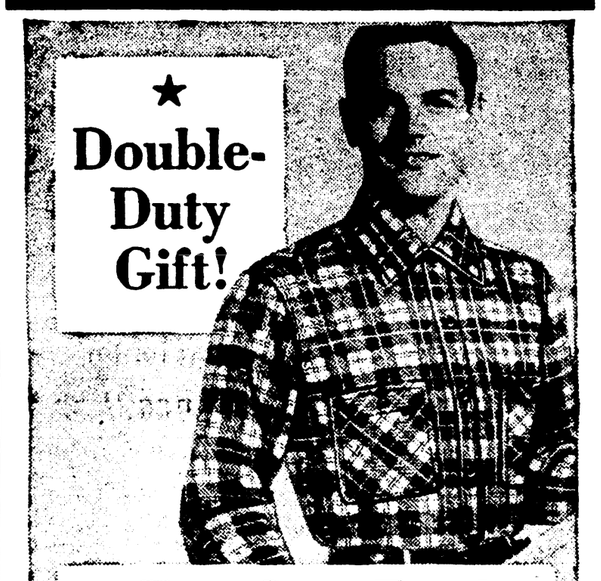

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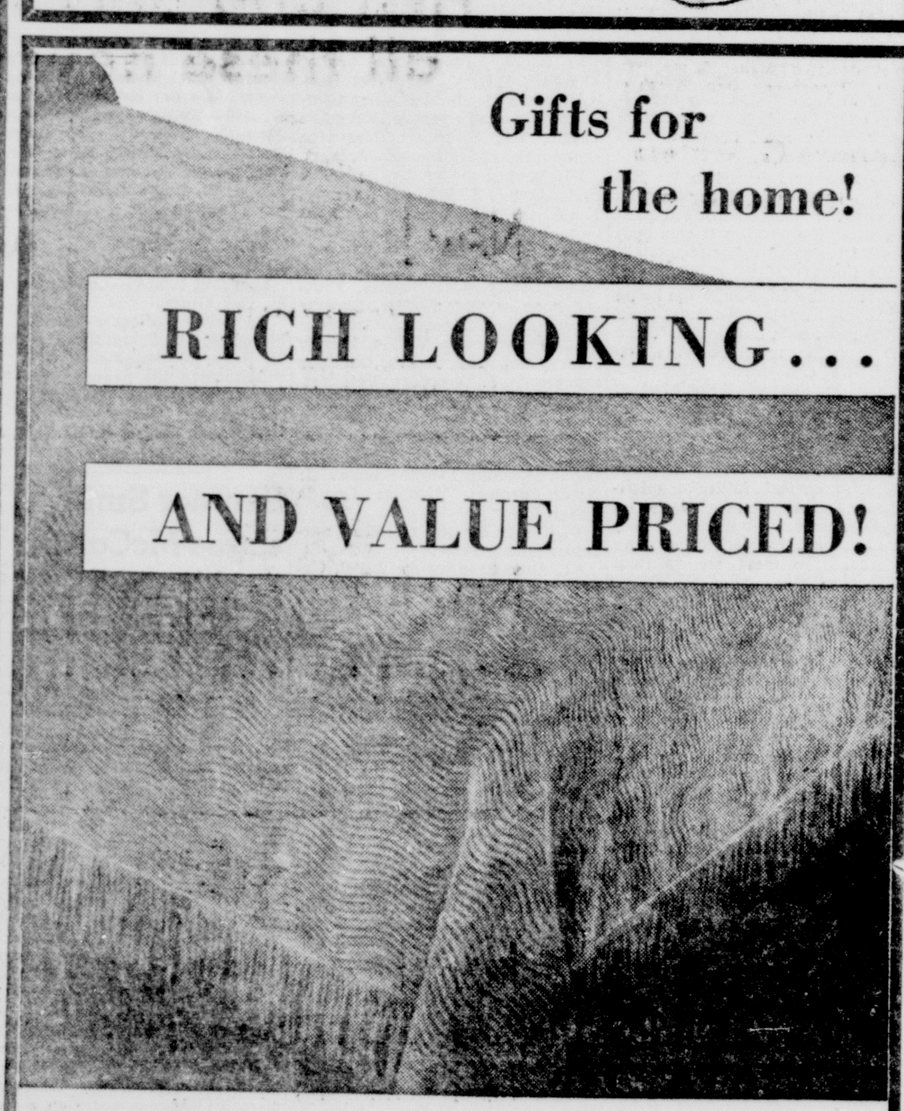

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IX. Blessed Art Thou Among Women, Elizabeth: Vita Jean Zagone.

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XV. Confirmed by the High Priests. High priests: Charles Breard, James Breard, Carl Inzina.

XVI. Reborn through God's Priest. Priest: Eddie Pohlman.

XVII. Served and Worshipped by the Faithful. Acolytes: Sam Lasuzza, Dale Colson, Joseph Marsala, Joseph Bruscato,

Stage manager and crew for the performance are as follows:

Stage manager: Albert Thibeaux

Lights: Joseph Inzina and J. D. Cascio

Curtain: Kenneth Baker

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Costumes: the home economics class.

The public is cordially invited to witness this program.

Spiritual Need Stressed In Talk

Mrs. Jo Willis, program chairman Selman Parent-Teacher Association, introduced Rev. T. Earl Ogg to the group Thursday afternoon. Rev. Ogg gave a timely address, using for his subject, "Meeting Spiritual Needs of Children." He said in part: " . . . We would like to call your attention to these words found in the 7th chapter of St. Matthew, verses 24-27 which recited the fate of the man who built his house upon the sand.

"More important than physical and mental preparations for life is the spiritual," stated the speaker. The school, the home, the church, are all a part of the child's future. The spiritual nature, like the physical, must be fed. The battle of life is to keep the soul in ascendency over the body. Our homes and homelife must be on a solid foundation."

The speaker referred to the Eddystone lighthouse which, built on an unsound foundation, collapsed in a short time. Then it was built on solid rock and today stands after the passage of 192 years.

"Except the Lord build the house they labor in vain. We must build on the most solid foundation. There are certain reinforcements on which we can draw. Our conscience is one of these, but it needs education, a worthy ambition. Why did Napoleon fail at Waterloo? It was because he forgot God.

"Rock-grounded faith is unfailing foundation. Homes blessed by the Saviour may be poor, small, bare but spirit controlled they may be rich. To meet the spiritual needs of children, read the Bible, re-establish the family altar and hold onto that child in faith."

Mrs. G. B. Wilson presided at the business session, O. J. Baldwin was elected to serve the unexpired term as vice-president. The room count was won by Walter Holder's seventh grade and O. J. Baldwin's eighth grade.

Weather Control Advisory Group Holds Meeting

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19 —UP— The government's 11-man advisory committee on weather control agreed Friday to decide as soon as possible whether the government should regulate rainmaking and similar experiments.

The committee, holdings its first meeting, said it has no "preconceived notions" on weather-making experiments and will not try to help or hinder "responsible" individuals and concerns now trying to modify the weather.

But it said it will advise Congress as soon as possible on its views on federal regulation of artificial weather.

The committee was set up by Congress last summer to find out whether the government should "experiment with, engage in or regulate" activities designed to control weather conditions.

A committee statement said experiments "have suggested" that weather control eventually may provide benefits to agriculture, industry and government.

Howard T. Orville, former chief of the Navy's weather service, is chairman of the committee. He also is a technical assistant to Bendix Aviation Cor., Baltimore.

Orville said the committee's next meeting will be in January. He announced appointment of Charles Gardner Jr., of Miller, S. D., as acting executive secretary to the group. Gardner has been secretary to Sen. Francis Case (R-S. D.).

State Police Report

Five persons were arrested for operating motor vehicles while under the influence of intoxicating liquors according to a weekly report of activities by members of Troop F, Louisiana state police. The report was issued by troop headquarters and listed some 21 persons apprehended for violations.

John Whitehead, 56, Negro, Pioneer, was charged with drunk driving, no driver's license and improper brakes.

Charged with drunk driving were: Anirs Smith, 40, Negro, Route 2, Monroe; William Elbert Warren, 58, Jonesboro; Harvie Fields, 36, Negro, 106 Crawford street, West Monroe; and I. C. Horton, 44, Negro, 1002 Ridge Drive, West Monroe.

Drunk driving, no driver's license: Henry Ed Henley, 53, Bastrop.

Auto theft: Two Salt Lake City juveniles.

Reckless driving: Sammie W. Whittington, 43, 807 Thomas street, Monroe; Odel Foster, 36, 311 Egan street, Monroe; George W. Beach, 51, 3906 Webster street, Monroe; Alton N. Hull, Jr., 23, Monroe; Devon P. McNease, 37, Route 1, Winnsboro; Coleman J. Franklin, Negro, 49, Route 1, Fountain Hill, Ark.; and Aurice H. Golden, 43, Route 3, Rayville.

Speeding (auto) — Clarence Banks, 18, Negro, Sondheimer.

Speeding (truck)—Lenard Harris, 31, Oak Grove.

No driver's license—Pearlie J. Meredith, 33, Columbia, and John R. Reed, 70, Jonesboro.

Disturbing the peace: Roosevelt Chavers, 26, Negro, 710 Ford street, Monroe.

Overload: Herbie G. Barfield, 32, Route 1, West Monroe.

Senator Smith Urges McCarthy To Get On Team

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McCarthy, a Wisconsin Republican, recently suggested that the public ask President Eisenhower to halt U. S. aid to free world nations which trade with Red China. Considerable mail and telegrams to the White House followed.

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"We may have differences and we can argue them in the family, but to argue them outside the family just isn't right and I'm disturbed over charges and countercharges made that the Eisenhower-Dulles administration is dominated by the old Truman-Acheson (administration) and so on."

U. S. Spends on Yule Trees

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VI. Announced by the Angel, Gabriel: Salvalor Pitarro.

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VIII. Be It Done Unto Me According to Thy Word, Mary: Sue Turner.

IX. Blessed Art Thou Among Women, Elizabeth: Vita Jean Zagone.

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XIII. Honored by the Kings, kings: Gaspar: Richard Burgoyne, Melchior: Jack Norman, Balthazaar: John Guerriero

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XV. Confirmed by the High Priests. High priests: Charles Breard, James Breard, Carl Inzina.

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Stage manager and crew for the performance are as follows:

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Costumes: the home economics class.

The public is cordially invited to witness this program.

Spiritual Need Stressed In Talk

Mrs. Jo Willis, program chairman Selman Parent-Teacher Association, introduced Rev. T. Earl Ogg to the group Thursday afternoon. Rev. Ogg gave a timely address, using for his subject, "Meeting Spiritual Needs of Children." He said in part: " . . . We would like to call your attention to these words found in the 7th chapter of St. Matthew, verses 24-27 which recited the fate of the man who built his house upon the sand.

"More important than physical and mental preparations for life is the spiritual," stated the speaker. The school, the home, the church, are all a part of the child's future. The spiritual nature, like the physical, must be fed. The battle of life is to keep the soul in ascendency over the body. Our homes and homelife must be on a solid foundation."

The speaker referred to the Eddystone lighthouse which, built on an unsound foundation, collapsed in a short time. Then it was built on solid rock and today stands after the passage of 192 years.

"Except the Lord build the house they labor in vain. We must build on the most solid foundation. There are certain reinforcements on which we can draw. Our conscience is one of these, but it needs education, a worthy ambition. Why did Napoleon fail at Waterloo? It was because he forgot God.

"Rock-grounded faith is unfailing foundation. Homes blessed by the Saviour may be poor, small, bare but spirit controlled they may be rich. To meet the spiritual needs of children, read the Bible, re-establish the family altar and hold onto that child in faith."

Mrs. G. B. Wilson presided at the business session, O. J. Baldwin was elected to serve the unexpired term as vice-president. The room count was won by Walter Holder's seventh grade and O. J. Baldwin's eighth grade.

Weather Control Advisory Group Holds Meeting

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19 —UP— The government's 11-man advisory committee on weather control agreed Friday to decide as soon as possible whether the government should regulate rainmaking and similar experiments.

The committee, holdings its first meeting, said it has no "preconceived notions" on weather-making experiments and will not try to help or hinder "responsible" individuals and concerns now trying to modify the weather.

But it said it will advise Congress as soon as possible on its views on federal regulation of artificial weather.

The committee was set up by Congress last summer to find out whether the government should "experiment with, engage in or regulate" activities designed to control weather conditions.

A committee statement said experiments "have suggested" that weather control eventually may provide benefits to agriculture, industry and government.

Howard T. Orville, former chief of the Navy's weather service, is chairman of the committee. He also is a technical assistant to Bendix Aviation Cor., Baltimore.

Orville said the committee's next meeting will be in January. He announced appointment of Charles Gardner Jr., of Miller, S. D., as acting executive secretary to the group. Gardner has been secretary to Sen. Francis Case (R-S. D.).

State Police Report

Five persons were arrested for operating motor vehicles while under the influence of intoxicating liquors according to a weekly report of activities by members of Troop F, Louisiana state police. The report was issued by troop headquarters and listed some 21 persons apprehended for violations.

John Whitehead, 56, Negro, Pioneer, was charged with drunk driving, no driver's license and improper brakes.

Charged with drunk driving were: Anirs Smith, 40, Negro, Route 2, Monroe; William Elbert Warren, 58, Jonesboro; Harvie Fields, 36, Negro, 106 Crawford street, West Monroe; and I. C. Horton, 44, Negro, 1002 Ridge Drive, West Monroe.

Drunk driving, no driver's license: Henry Ed Henley, 53, Bastrop.

Auto theft: Two Salt Lake City juveniles.

Reckless driving: Sammie W. Whittington, 43, 807 Thomas street, Monroe; Odel Foster, 36, 311 Egan street, Monroe; George W. Beach, 51, 3906 Webster street, Monroe; Alton N. Hull, Jr., 23, Monroe; Devon P. McNease, 37, Route 1, Winnsboro; Coleman J. Franklin, Negro, 49, Route 1, Fountain Hill, Ark.; and Aurice H. Golden, 43, Route 3, Rayville.

Speeding (auto) — Clarence Banks, 18, Negro, Sondheimer.

Speeding (truck)—Lenard Harris, 31, Oak Grove.

No driver's license—Pearlie J. Meredith, 33, Columbia, and John R. Reed, 70, Jonesboro.

Disturbing the peace: Roosevelt Chavers, 26, Negro, 710 Ford street, Monroe.

Overload: Herbie G. Barfield, 32, Route 1, West Monroe.

Senator Smith Urges McCarthy To Get On Team

WASHINGTON, Dec19 (AP)—Sen. H. Alexander Smith (R-NJ) expressed the hope tonight that Sen. McCarthy will get on the Republican team and "get on it soon."

McCarthy, a Wisconsin Republican, recently suggested that the public ask President Eisenhower to halt U. S. aid to free world nations which trade with Red China. Considerable mail and telegrams to the White House followed.

The administration has taken the position that this country's allies are not shipping Red China any strategic materials and that such trade as is being conducted with Red China is, on the whole, to the advantage of the West.

"In the difference of opinion between Joe McCarthy and the President," Smith said on the CBS radio program "capitol Cloakroom" tonight, "I'm with the President and Mr. Dulles (secretary of state) because we're on a team and I hope Mr. McCarthy will get on that team and get on it soon.

"We may have differences and we can argue them in the family, but to argue them outside the family just isn't right and I'm disturbed over charges and countercharges made that the Eisenhower-Dulles administration is dominated by the old Truman-Acheson (administration) and so on.'

U. S. Spends on Yule Trees

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19 —UP— The Forest Service estimated Saturday that Americans will spend about $50 million for some 30 million Christmas trees. The service said about eight out of 10 American families are expected to buy trees.

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According to the PAR report, investment income from the reserve fund for an eleven - year period ending June 30, 1952 totaled $6,832,029. This was double the $3,225,041 paid in pensions from the fund in the same 11 years. During this period, the system gained some $3 million through retention of state contributions for retirement of teachers who withdrew from the system.

In 1952, investment income was $1,568,000 and pensions chargeable to the reserve fund were $757,000.

In June of 1952, the Louisiana system paid average monthly retirement pensions of $107. Only six states paid more. The highest was $149.76 paid some retired teachers in Connecticut. In the same year, Louisiana ranked 40th in per capita income.

Teachers pay six per cent of their salary to the system. The rate paid by the state is fixed by a New York actuary and is now 11.28 per cent of teachers' salaries. This makes an amount equal to 17.28 per cent of teachers' salaries going into the system. The state makes special appropriations to aid certain retired groups. These totaled $336,000 in 1952.

Out of 37 states studied in 1950 by the National Education Association, none required as high a public contribution rate as Louisiana's 11.28 per cent.

In other comparisons, based on date collected by the National Education Association for the fiscal year 1952, the PAR research brief said:

1. Only eight states, regardless of population, provided more public funds for teacher retirement than did Louisiana. (Indiana, for example, with double the number of teachers required $1 million less in public funds.)

2. No system with equal, or near equal years of operation, comes close to the $2734 in reserve per member which Louisiana had in 1952 after 16 years of operation. Texas and Indiana, with 15 and 37 years of operation and both paying higher pensions, had reserves of $1454 and $1634 per member.

3. Only Texas in the south paid higher monthly pensions.

4. None of the states with higher pensions required as great a public contribution in relation to teacher contributions.

5. Only two states of those having both public and member contributions had a higher percentage of income provided by the public; only four reported a smaller percentage from member contributions; 14 had a higher percentage of investment income. (The Louisiana system had 58.2 per cent of its income from the public, 29.5 from member contributions and 12.1 from investments.)

Future income for the Louisiana system was estimated by PAR at $13 million a year or more including an estimated $2 million from investments of the expected $80 million reserve. Based on the experience of Indiana with a 37-year-old system, PAR said the future pension load for Louisiana would seem to be about $3 million to $4 million a year.

"These facts," according to the research brief, "point to a need for re-examination of the Louisiana Teacher Retirement System."

It, the brief added, contribution rates were cut to four per cent each for the state and members, it would mean an increase in take home pay for teachers while still producing revenue for the system of about $6 million a year, aside from potential investment income of $2 million. PAR estimated it would be five years before pensions from the reserve fund equal investment income of $2 million a year.

The research brief did not go into the question of need for special legislative appropriations which totaled $1,100,000 in the 11-year period ending June 30, 1952.

Students Choose Korean War As Year's Top News

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 19—UP—Korean war news was rated as the biggest story of the year by Tulane University journalism students.

In addition to the cease-fire, which students ranked as the peak of interest in the overall Korean war news, they listed such related items as the prisoner of war exchange, Syngman Rhee's premature release of anti-Red prisoners, atrocity stories and the Panmunjom talks.

Other stories selected as among the 10 biggest in 1953 included:

Stalin's death, Malenkov's succession, Beria's arrest, kidnaping and murder of Bobby Greenlease; Truman-Brownell clash over the Harry Dexter White case; coronation of Queen Elizabeth and Rosenberg atom spy execution.

Bridegroom Weeps, Flees Wedding

MEMPHIS (AP)—A reluctant bridegroom burst into tears and left his blushing bride stranded at the altar last night.

Robert Lance Brickley, 5, stubbornly refused to go through with the wedding, a bride-and-groom recital highlighting a Memphis kindergarten's Christmas program.

The pretty bride, Connie Wilkins, 5, was shocked when Robert balked at the altar, broke into sobs and dashed into the comforting arms of a teacher.

Male spectators roared.

The wedding scene was called off.

"Bob wised up in a hurry," laughed his father, A. G. Brickey Jr. "He's a woman-hater anyway."

LTI CHRISTMAS PARTY — Some of the youngsters enjoying Christmas parties at Louisiana Training Institute Friday night are shown standing before a tree and discussing the event with Mrs. Walter K. Anders, co-chairman of Cottage D. Pictured from left to right are James Ray, Winnsboro; Fred Lindsay, member of the staff; Mrs. Anders, Merlin Hasselback of New Orleans; and Rudolph Knight of Bastrop. (Staff photo by Duffy Davis.)

Six Leaders Maintain Uneasy Hierarchy

Secret Police Power In Soviet Russia Gives Way To Army, Observer Says

Editor's Note—William L. Ryan, AP Foreign News Analyst, is back in the United States after a three-month tour of duty as an AP correspondent in the Soviet Union. He talked with some of the men who are influential in Russia—and he talked also with scores of everyday Russians in eight of the republics of the U.S.S.R. This is his appraisal of the current setup in the post-Stalin government, and of some of the aspects of the Beria case spotlighted by last Wednesday's announcement that Beria had confessed and been committed to trial.

By WILLIAM L. RYAN
AP Foreign News Analyst

Moscow's handling of the Beria case demonstrates clearly the swift diminishing of secret police power in the Soviet Union and at the same time a rise in power and influence of the Soviet army.

Suddenly and surprisingly, the case against former police boss Lavrenty Pavlovich Beria has been dragged from its obscurity and has become the subject for intensive propaganda.

This treatment reinforces the impression that the remaining six rulers of the Communist party empire have been forced together into an uneasy collective leadership which might better be called collective security. Their attitude toward one another seems to be that of equals dealing with equals, all of whom face the same dangers and uncertainties.

The impression was unanimous up to a few days ago among foreign observers in Moscow that the party wanted the Beria case to be forgotten—that some day the party would simply announce Beria had been convicted and executed. But somebody obviously opposed such an idea. The evidence points to the army. Recently at one of the state affairs which call for innumerable toasts, I heard Marshal Zhukov express himself in a way which seemed to express resentment with the party and impatience to have a final chapter written in the career of Beria.

Zhukov, popular military hero of World War II, had been asked to contribute to the toasts. Looking glum and solemn—and obviously disapproving the carryings on of the Communist party big shots present — Zhukov recalled that "Justice" had been the subject of one of the toasts. He announced he wanted only to support the toast to justice.

Sharp-faced Anastas I. Mikoyan, once mentor of Beria in the Communist party, snapped: "What's the matter, Zhukov? Can't you think up your own toast?"

Stolidly Zhukov intoned: "I wish to support the toast to justice."

The removal of Beria apparently went against the wishes of at least some of the present six members of the ruling Communist party hierarchy. Mikoyan, for example, is the man who started Beria on his Communist party career. It was Mikoyan who selected him for special work with the Bolsheviks in the days when they were fighting the strong anti-Bolsheviks in Baku, Azerbaijan which now is the Soviet Union's oil center.

There are indications that rivalry still exists among the top members of the Communist hierachy.

It is highly significant that Beria is accused of hampering the agricultural program. The network throughout the Soviet Union of machine tractor stations, whose function on paper was to supply machinery to collective farms, had in fact been turned into a network of bases for the secret police and a political weapon. Great political power could be wielded in the countryside through the life-and-death authority to dole out the means of agricultural production.

Rep. Brooks Asks Individual Limit On Acreage Cuts

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19 (AP) — A proposal that no cotton farmer be required to cut his 1954 cotton acreage more than 30 per cent below 1953 was made today by Rep. Overton Brooks (D-La.).

"This would insure that no farmer would be put out of business next year when acreage quotas are invoked," Brooks said.

Farmers voted overwhelmingly earlier this week to approve the quota proposal of Secretary of Agriculture Benson. The vote was on Benson's proposal to limit the 1954 cotton acreage to 17,900,000 acres, compared with more than 24 million acres this year.

However Benson has recommended that Congress act to hike the national allotment beyond 17,900,000—a figure he said he arrived at under requirements of the present law.

Brooks said that many farmers in his state are faced with the prospect of having to cut cotton acreages 75 per cent or more.

"I have a protest from one farmer with 1,000 acres in cotton who would be required to cut back to 236 acres," he added.

Such drastic cuts, Brooks said, would force many farmers to the wall. But an arbitrary limitation on individual cuts would protect such farmers.

Brooks also advocated that the national allotment be set at 22½ million acres and that steps be taken to prevent cotton allotments being moved from the South to western states.

He said that when farmers voted this week to approve acreage limitations they did so with assurances from Benson and others that the national allotment would be increased above 17,900,000 acres.

"They had promises from Benson on down that there would be an equitable adjustment." Brooks said. "I believe members of Congress will cooperate and provide this equitable adjustment."

Brooks also proposed that the law be amended so that where a farmer fails to use his cotton allotment next year the allotment can be shifted to some other farmer in the county or state.

"This would help iron out some of the inequities," he said.

Shot 3 Times By Jealous Husband

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 19—UP—A Picayune, Miss., man was shot three times Friday night by a jealous husband who resented the man's visit to his estranged wife.

The victim, Oakland Spears, 43, was taken to Charity Hospital here with bullet wounds of the left shoulder, face and little finger of his left hand. Hospital attendants said his condition is not serious.

Police said the husband, Thomas C. Calloway, 41, who has been residing in Covington, became enraged when Spears appeared at his estranged wife's residence here. The husband fired with a .22 caliber pistol. Although wounded, Spears picked up a hammer and hit Calloway on the head, police said.

Calloway, who was treated at the hospital for a lacerated scalp, will be charged with attempted murder, police said. Calloway arrived in New Orleans Friday to visit his wife and was in the house when Spears knocked, police said.

Big Cities Several Degrees Warmer Than Open Country

Winters In U. S. Getting Colder, Expert States

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19 (AP) — Grandpa's tall tales about those tough old-fashioned winters may be true, but watch out for the brand new winter just starting.

I. R. Tannehill, expert weatherman, is making no prediction, but he says he finds no reason why this winter can't be as bad as any grandpa tells about, at least in most parts of the United States.

Tannehill, director of forecasting for the Weather Bureau, has a new pile of statistics that outline the profiles of United States weather for each of the past 60 years.

Even Tannehill has expressed surprise at learning such things as:

1. On the whole, the United States has been getting cooler in recent years, although some parts apparently have warmed up.

2. The winters in some large cities are warmer, probably because of manmade factors.

There are ups and downs in the day - by - day and year - by - year weather but Tannehill sees no major change. He puts it this way:

"Taken all together United States temperatures haven't changed much in 60 years, because there's only a fraction of a degree of difference between the average annual temperatures for a five-year period at the turn of the century and for a recent five-year period."

A significant exception is that temperatures in most large cities have been rising in winter. The average winter temperatures of places like Washington, New York and Chicago are several degrees warmer now than about 60 years ago.

Weathermen say large cities probably are warmer because of the construction of buildings and streets, which absorb and hold heat. Also the discharge of great quantities of heat and gas into the air may warm the winter atmosphere.

Another exception is that there has been a slight rise, apparently, in temperatures in the northern Rockies, northern Great Plains and Great Lakes region and parts of the East.

Despite drouths and heat waves of the past two summers, the average temperature of the United States has been declining since the "hot" years of the 1930s that produced the great drouth.

The temperatures reported by more than 1,500 weather stations since 1393 were used to calculate this national average.

If both winter and summer temperatures are considered, the coldest year was in 1917, when the temperature averaged 51.3 degrees. The warmest was in 1934, averaging 55.4. This winter-summer average for the whole country has been falling since 1934.

On the average about 30 inches of moisture covered the whole United States each year of the 60-year period.

Nearly all of the hottest months occurred during the great drouth of the '30s, but the drouth in the Southwest in recent years has helped to produce some statistics almost the equal of those in the '30s.

For instance, the moisture that fell in the drouth year 1930 measured about 25½ inches, on the average. That's all that was measured in the drouth year 1952, too.

Tannehill says one thing must be borne in mind when considering grandpa's tall tales of giant drouths and man-killing winters.

"Local weather may fluctuate widely, and winters in certain localities may be worse today than in the 19th century," he says. "But what we're discussing here is the whole U. S. weather picture, not just parts of it."

HALL-HEADY JUDGE RETIRES

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 19 —UP— Federal Judge Albert L. Reeves, whose 30-year tenure included the Carl Austin Hall - Bonnie Heady trial and the sensational vote fraud convictions here, announced Saturday he has requested President Eisenhower to accept his retirement. Reeves asked to be retired Feb. 2, the 30th anniversary of his appointment as a federal jurist.

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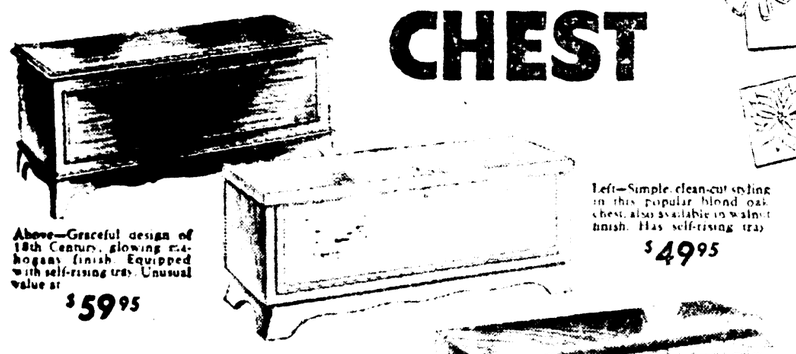

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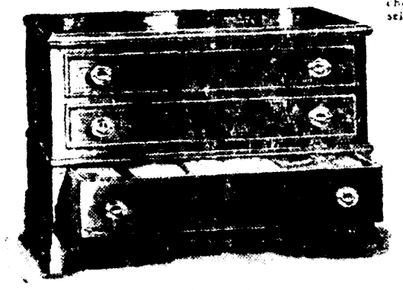

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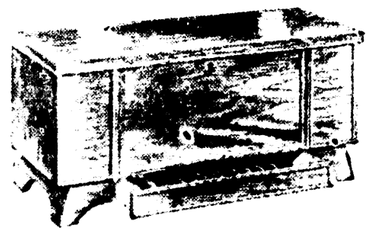

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According to the PAR report, investment income from the reserve fund for an eleven - year period ending June 30, 1952 totaled $6,832,029. This was double the $3,225,041 paid in pensions from the fund in the same 11 years. During this period, the system gained some $3 million through retention of state contributions for retirement of teachers who withdrew from the system.

In 1952, investment income was $1,568,000 and pensions chargeable to the reserve fund were $757,000.

In June of 1952, the Louisiana system paid average monthly retirement pensions of $107. Only six states paid more. The highest was $149.76 paid some retired teachers in Connecticut. In the same year, Louisiana ranked 40th in per capita income.

Teachers pay six per cent of their salary to the system. The rate paid by the state is fixed by a New York actuary and is now 11.28 per cent of teachers' salaries. This makes an amount equal to 17.28 per cent of teachers' salaries going into the system. The state makes special appropriations to aid certain retired groups. These totaled $336,000 in 1952.

Out of 37 states studied in 1950 by the National Education Association, none required as high a public contribution rate as Louisiana's 11.28 per cent.

In other comparisons, based on date collected by the National Education Association for the fiscal year 1952, the PAR research brief said:

1. Only eight states, regardless of population, provided more public funds for teacher retirement than did Louisiana. (Indiana, for example, with double the number of teachers required $1 million less in public funds.)

2. No system with equal, or near equal years of operation, comes close to the $2734 in reserve per member which Louisiana had in 1952 after 16 years of operation. Texas and Indiana, with 15 and 37 years of operation and both paying higher pensions, had reserves of $1454 and $1634 per member.

3. Only Texas in the south paid higher monthly pensions.

4. None of the states with higher pensions required as great a public contribution in relation to teacher contributions.

5.Only two states of those having both public and member contributions had a higher percentage of income provided by the public; only four reported a smaller percentage from member contributions; 14 had a higher percentage of investment income. (The Louisiana system had 58.2 per cent of its income from the public, 29.5 from member contributions and 12.1 from investments.)

Future income for the Louisiana system was estimated by PAR at $13 million a year or more including an estimated $2 million from investments of the expected $80 million reserve. Based on the experience of Indiana with a 37-year-old system, PAR said the future pension load for Louisiana would seem to be about $3 million to $4 million a year.

"These facts," according to the research brief, "point to a need for re-examination of the Louisiana Teacher Retirement System."

If, the brief added, contribution rates were cut to four per cent each for the state and members, it would mean an increase in take home pay for teachers while still producing revenue for the system of about $6 million a year, aside from potential investment income of $2 million. PAR estimated it would be five years before pensions from the reserve fund equal investment income of $2 million a year.

The research brief did not go into the question of need for special legislative appropriations which totaled $1,100,000 in the 11-year period ending June 30, 1952.

Students Choose Korean War As Year's Top News

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 19—UP—Korean war news was rated as the biggest story of the year by Tulane University journalism students.

In addition to the cease-fire, which students ranked as the peak of interest in the overall Korean war news, they listed such related items as the prisoner of war exchange, Syngman Rhee's premature release of anti-Red prisoners, atrocity stories and the Panmunjom talks.

Other stories selected as among the 10 biggest in 1953 included:

Stalin's death, Malenkov's succession, Beria's arrest, kidnaping and murder of Bobby Greenlease; Truman-Brownell clash over the Harry Dexter White case; coronation of Queen Elizabeth and Rosenberg atom spy execution.

Bridegroom Weeps, Flees Wedding

MEMPHIS (AP)—A reluctant bridegroom burst into tears and left his blushing bride stranded at the altar last night.

Robert Lance Brickley, 5, stubbornly refused to go through with the wedding, a bride-and-groom recital highlighting a Memphis kindergarten's Christmas program.

The pretty bride, Connie Wilkins, 5, was shocked when Robert balked at the altar, broke into sobs and dashed into the comforting arms of a teacher.

Male spectators roared.

The wedding scene was called off.

"Bob wised up in a hurry," laughed his father, A. G. Brickey Jr. "He's a woman-hater anyway."

LTI CHRISTMAS PARTY — Some of the youngsters enjoying Christmas parties at Louisiana Training Institute Friday night are shown standing before a tree and discussing the event with Mrs. Walter K. Anders, co-chairman of Cottage D. Pictured from left to right are James Ray, Winnsboro; Fred Lindsay, member of the staff; Mrs. Anders, Merlin Hasselback of New Orleans; and Rudolph Knight of Bastrop. (Staff photo by Duffy Davis.)

Six Leaders Maintain Uneasy Hierarchy

Secret Police Power In Soviet Russia Gives Way To Army, Observer Says

Editor's Note—William L. Ryan, AP Foreign News Analyst, is back in the United States after a three-month tour of duty as an AP correspondent in the Soviet Union. He talked with some of the men who are influential in Russia—and he talked also with scores of everyday Russians in eight of the republics of the U.S.S.R. This is his appraisal of the current setup in the post-Stalin government, and of some of the aspects of the Beria case spotlighted by last Wednesday's announcement that Beria had confessed and been committed to trial.

By WILLIAM L. RYAN
AP Foreign News Analyst

Moscow's handling of the Beria case demonstrates clearly the swift diminishing of secret police power in the Soviet Union and at the same time a rise in power and influence of the Soviet army.

Suddenly and surprisingly, the case against former police boss Lavrenty Pavlovich Beria has been dragged from its obscurity and has become the subject for intensive propaganda.

This treatment reinforces the impression that the remaining six rulers of the Communist party empire have been forced together into an uneasy collective leadership which might better be called collective security. Their attitude toward one another seems to be that of equals dealing with equals, all of whom face the same dangers and uncertainties.

The impression was unanimous up to a few days ago among foreign observers in Moscow that the party wanted the Beria case to be forgotten—that some day the party would simply announce Beria had been convicted and executed. But somebody obviously opposed such an idea. The evidence points to the army. Recently at one of the state affairs which call for innumerable toasts, I heard Marshal Zhukov express himself in a way which seemed to express resentment with the party and impatience to have a final chapter written in the career of Beria.

Zhukov, popular military hero of World War II, had been asked to contribute to the toasts. Looking glum and solemn—and obviously disapproving the carryings on of the Communist party big shots present — Zhukov recalled that "Justice" had been the subject of one of the toasts. He announced he wanted only to support the toast to justice.

Sharp-faced Anastas I. Mikoyan, once mentor of Beria in the Communist party, snapped: "What's the matter, Zhukov? Can't you think up your own toast?"

Stolidly Zhukov intoned: "I wish to support the toast to justice."

The removal of Beria apparently went against the wishes of at least some of the present six members of the ruling Communist party hierarchy. Mikoyan, for example, is the man who started Beria on his Communist party career. It was Mikoyan who selected him for special work with the Bolsheviks in the days when they were fighting the strong anti-Bolsheviks in Baku, Azerbaijan which now is the Soviet Union's oil center.

There are indications that rivalry still exists among the top members of the Communist hierachy.

It is highly significant that Beria is accused of hampering the agricultural program. The network throughout the Soviet Union of machine tractor stations, whose function on paper was to supply machinery to collective farms, had in fact been turned into a network of bases for the secret police and a political weapon. Great political power could be wielded in the countryside through the life-and-death authority to dole out the means of agricultural production.

Rep. Brooks Asks Individual Limit On Acreage Cuts

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19 (AP) — A proposal that no cotton farmer be required to cut his 1954 cotton acreage more than 30 per cent below 1953 was made today by Rep. Overton Brooks (D-La).

"This would insure that no farmer would be put out of business next year when acreage quotas are invoked," Brooks said.

Farmers voted overwhelmingly earlier this week to approve the quota proposal of Secretary of Agriculture Benson. The vote was on Benson's proposal to limit the 1954 cotton acreage to 17,900,000 acres, compared with more than 24 million acres this year.

However, Benson has recommended that Congress act to hike the national allotment beyond 17,900,000—a figure he said he arrived at under requirements of the present law.

Brooks said that many farmers in his state are faced with the prospect of having to cut cotton acreages 75 per cent or more.

"I have a protest from one farmer with 1,000 acres in cotton who would be required to cut back to 236 acres," he added.

Such drastic cuts, Brooks said, would force many farmers to the wall. But an arbitrary limitation on individual cuts would protect such farmers.

Brooks also advocated that the national allotment be set at 22½ million acres and that steps be taken to prevent cotton allotments being moved from the South to western states.

He said that when farmers voted this week to approve acreage limitations they did so with assurances from Benson and others that the national allotment would be increased above 17,900,000 acres.

"They had promises from Benson on down that there would be an equitable adjustment," Brooks said. "I believe members of Congress will cooperate and provide this equitable adjustment."

Brooks also proposed that the law be amended so that where a farmer fails to use his cotton allotment next year the allotment can be shifted to some other farmer in the county or state.

"This would help iron out some of the inequities," he said.

Shot 3 Times By Jealous Husband

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 19—UP—A Picayune, Miss., man was shot three times Friday night by a jealous husband who resented the man's visit to his estranged wife.

The victim, Oakland Spears, 43, was taken to Charity Hospital here with bullet wounds of the left shoulder, face and little finger of his left hand. Hospital attendants said his condition is not serious.

Police said the husband, Thomas C. Calloway, 41, who has been residing in Covington, became enraged when Spears appeared at his estranged wife's residence here. The husband fired with a .22 caliber pistol. Although wounded, Spears picked up a hammer and hit Calloway on the head, police said.

Calloway, who was treated at the hospital for a lacerated scalp, will be charged with attempted murder, police said. Calloway arrived in New Orleans Friday to visit his wife and was in the house when Spears knocked, police said.

Big Cities Several Degrees Warmer Than Open Country

Winters In U. S. Getting Colder, Expert States

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19 (AP) — Grandpa's tall tales about those tough old-fashioned winters may be true, but watch out for the brand new winter just starting.

I. R. Tannehill, expert weatherman, is making no prediction, but he says he finds no reason why this winter can't be as bad as any grandpa tells about, at least in most parts of the United States.

Tannehill, director of forecasting for the Weather Bureau, has a new pile of statistics that outline the profiles of United States weather for each of the past 60 years.

Even Tannehill has expressed surprise at learning such things as:

1. On the whole, the United States has been getting cooler in recent years, although some parts apparently have warmed up.

2. The winters in some large cities are warmer, probably because of manmade factors.

There are ups and downs in the day - by - day and year - by - year weather but Tannehill sees no major change. He puts it this way:

"Taken all together United States temperatures haven't changed much in 60 years, because there's only a fraction of a degree of difference between the average annual temperatures for a five-year period at the turn of the century and for a recent five-year period."

A significant exception is that temperatures in most large cities have been rising in winter. The average winter temperatures of places like Washington, New York and Chicago are several degrees warmer now than about 60 years ago.

Weathermen say large cities probably are warmer because of the construction of buildings and streets, which absorb and hold heat. Also the discharge of great quantities of heat and gas into the air may warm the winter atmosphere.

Another exception is that there has been a slight rise, apparently, in temperatures in the northern Rockies, northern Great Plains and Great Lakes region and parts of the East.

Despite drouths and heat waves of the past two summers, the average temperature of the United States has been declining since the "hot" years of the 1930s that produced the great drouth.

The temperatures reported by more than 1,500 weather stations since 1893 were used to calculate this national average.

If both winter and summer temperatures are considered, the coldest year was in 1917, when the temperature averaged 51.3 degrees. The warmest was in 1934, averaging 55.4. This winter-summer average for the whole country has been falling since 1934.

On the average about 30 inches of moisture covered the whole United States each year of the 60-year period.

Nearly all of the hottest months occurred during the great drouth of the '30s, but the drouth in the Southwest in recent years has helped to produce some statistics almost the equal of those in the '30s.

For instance, the moisture that fell in the drouth year 1930 measured about 25½ inches, on the average. That's all that was measured in the drouth year 1952, too.

Tannehill says one thing must be borne in mind when considering grandpa's tall tales of giant drouths and man-killing winters.

"Local weather may fluctuate widely, and winters in certain localities may be worse today than in the 19th century," he says. "But what we're discussing here is the whole U. S. weather picture, not just parts of it."

HALL-HEADY JUDGE RETIRES

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 19 —UP— Federal Judge Albert L. Reeves, whose 30-year tenure included the Carl Austin Hall - Bonnie Heady trial and the sensational vote fraud convictions here, announced Saturday he has requested President Eisenhower to accept his retirement. Reeves asked to be retired Feb. 2, the 30th anniversary of his appointment as a federal jurist.

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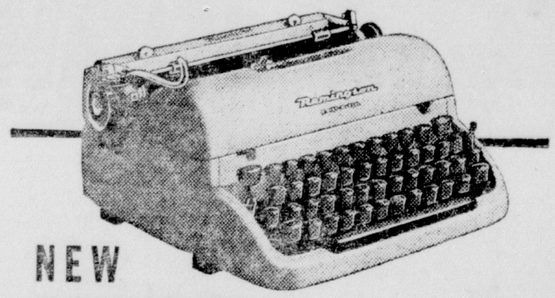

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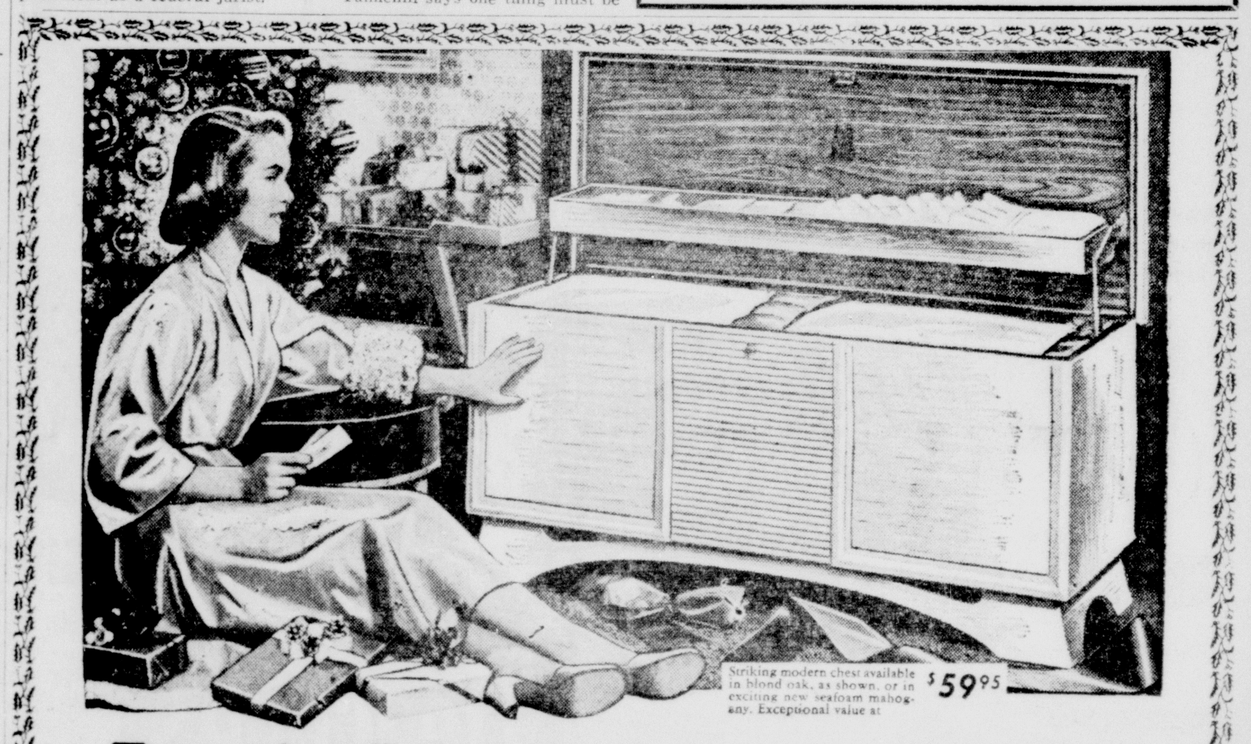

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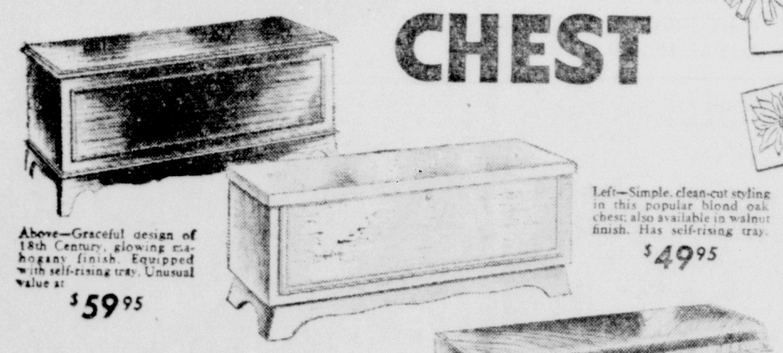

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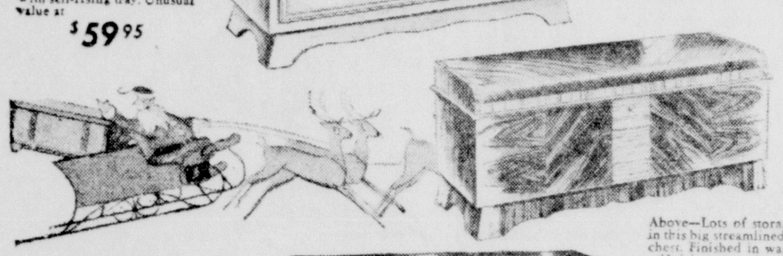

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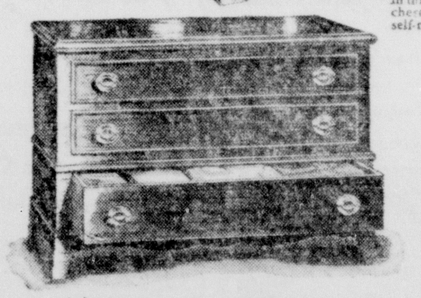

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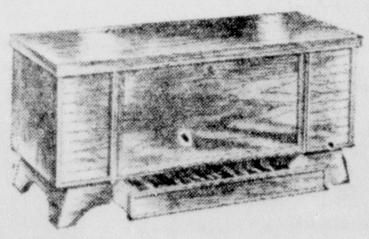

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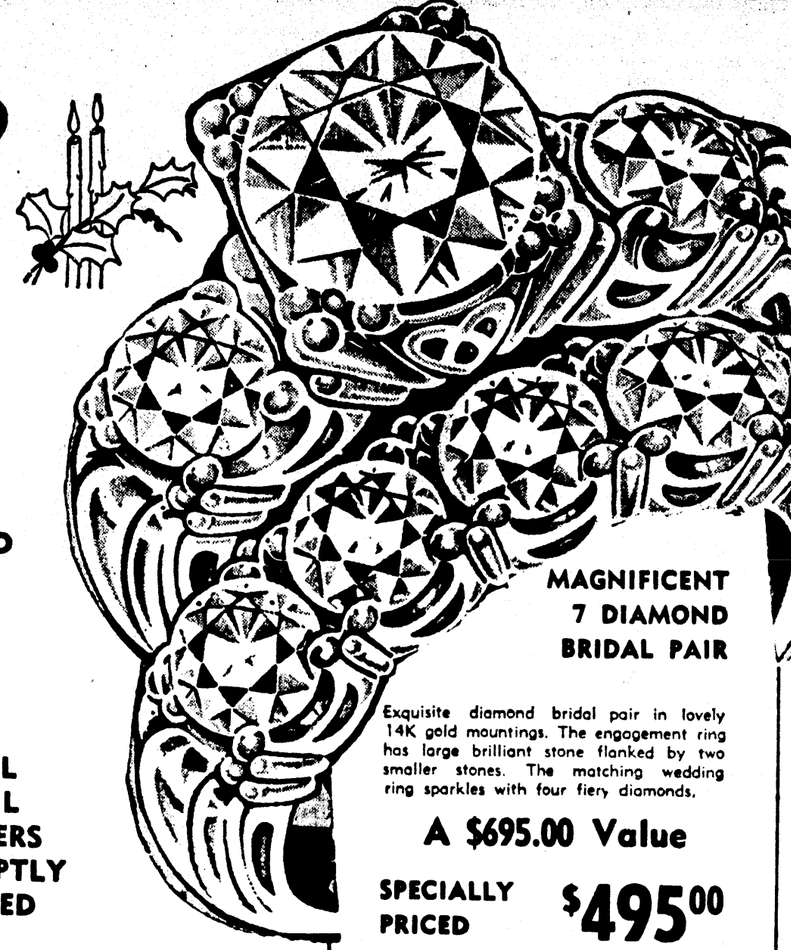

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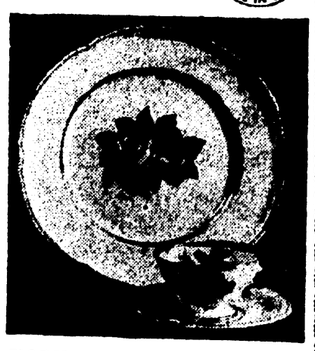

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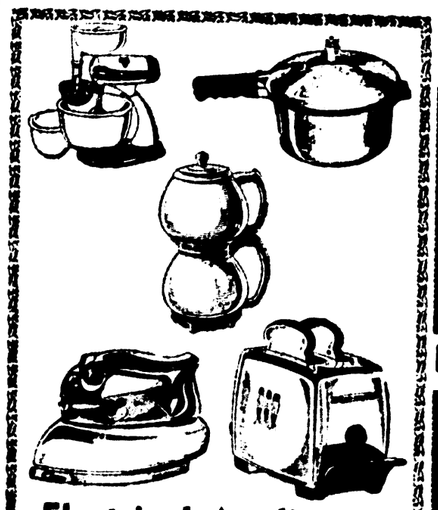

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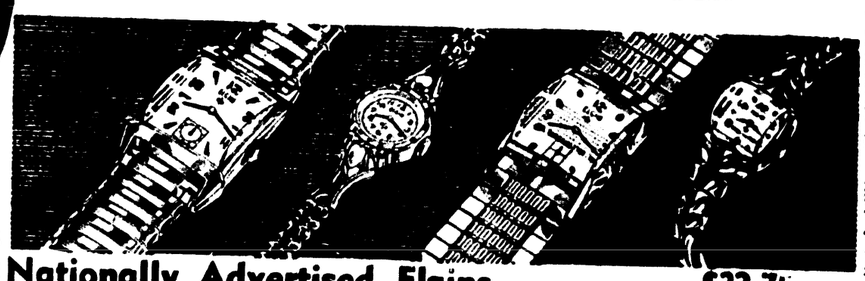

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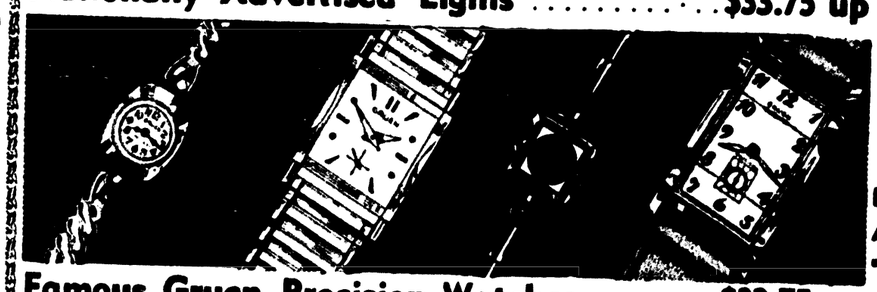

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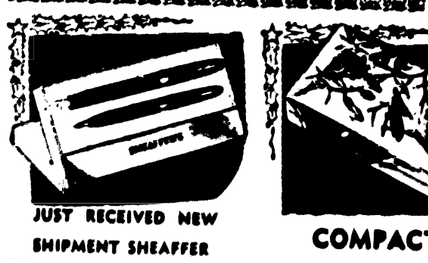

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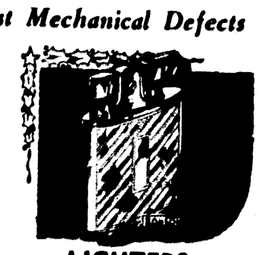

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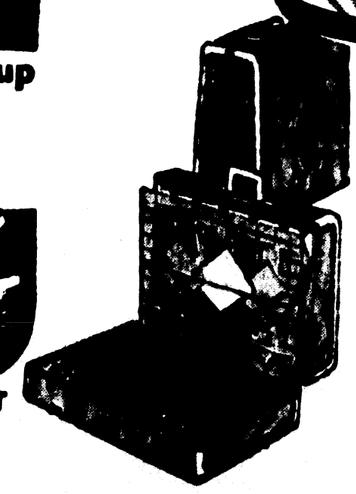

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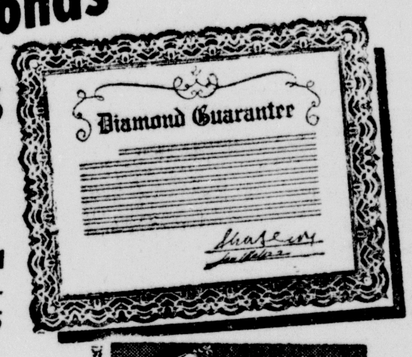

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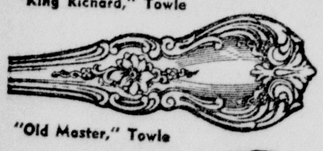

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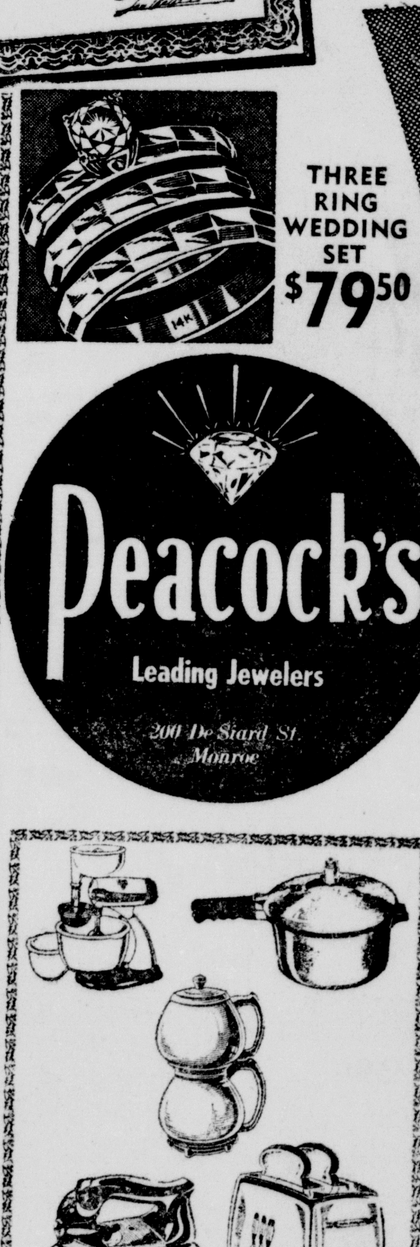

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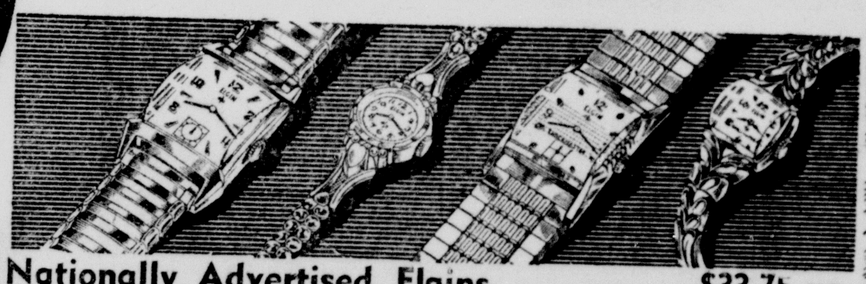

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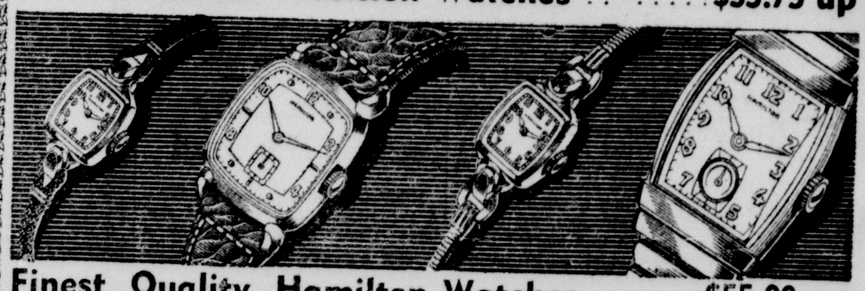

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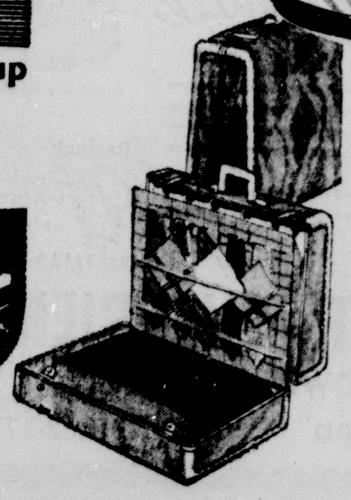

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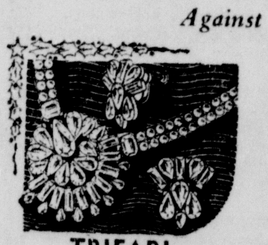

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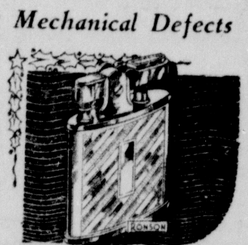

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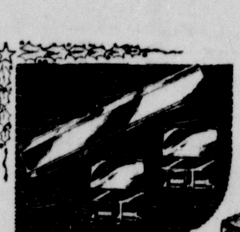

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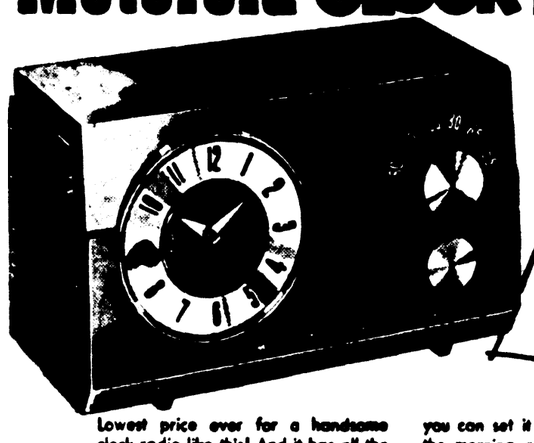

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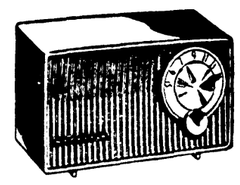

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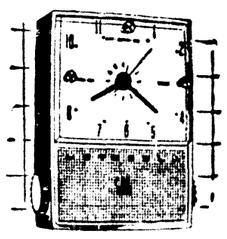

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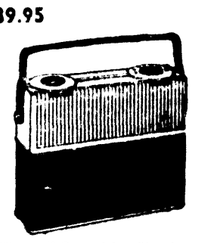

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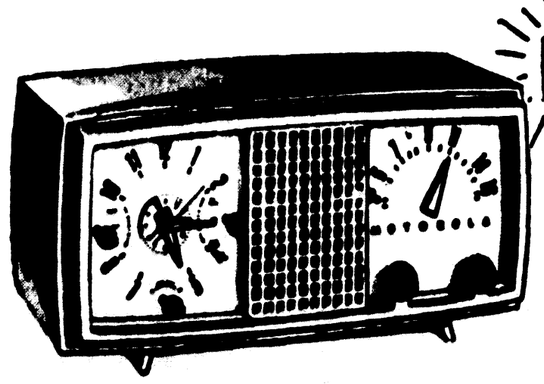

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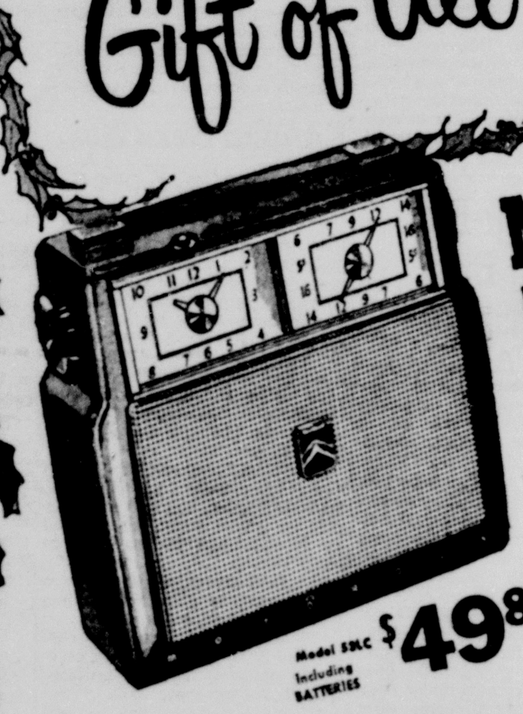

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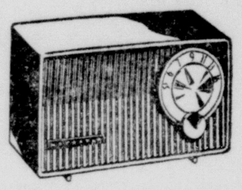

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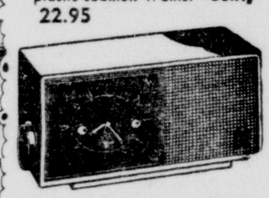

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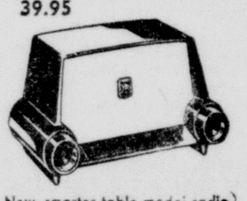

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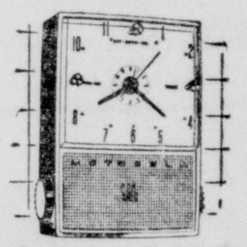

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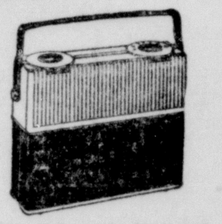

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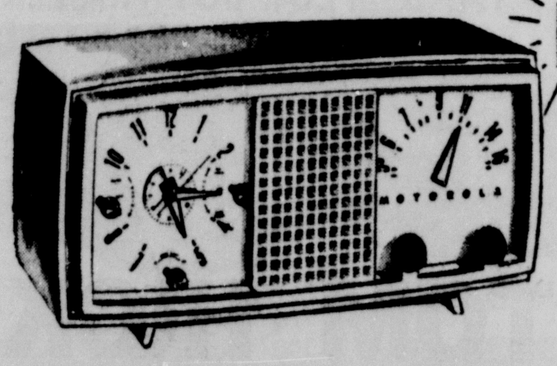

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Completions were:

Acadia — Church Point, Union Sulphur No. B 1 Harmon, S69-7S-2E, 116 bbls with 8-64" choke.

Ascension — Sorrento, Texas No. 22 United Lands, S13-10S-4E, 32 bbls oil and 5,680 MCF gas, choke.

Cameron — Cameron Meadows, Magnolia No. 54 Meadows, S28-14S-13W, 551 bbls with 13-64"; South Pecan Lake, Pan Am No. 10 Miami, S4-15S-3W, 20 bbls oil and 4400 MCF gas with 14"; West Huckberry, Stanolind No. 9 Duhon, S22-12S-10W, 132.08 bbls with 14-64".

Iberia — Weeks Island, Shell No. 2 Cont.-Smith, S13-14S-6E, 421 bbls with 5-64"; No. 2 Benjamin-State, S14-14S-6E, 292 bbls with 10-64".

Iberville — White Castle, Shell No. 51 Wilbert, S8-11S-12E, 119 bbls with 14-64".

Lafourche — Bay de Chene, Texas No. 28 S-L 356, (no sec 19S-24E, 168 bbls with 18; Leeville, Texas No. 1 South La. Canal, S23-21S-22E, 127 bbls choke.

Plaquemines — Cox Bay, Richardson & Bass No. 56-H Bay Unit, S3-18S-16E, 141 bbls with 8-64"; Lake Washington, Mecom & Freeport Sulphur No. 3 S-L 2028, S27-19S-26E, 316 bbls with 12-64"; No. 10 Cockrell, S34-19S-26E, 421.70 bbls with 12-64".

Pointe Coupee — Bayou Fordoche, Texas No. 1 Haas, S43-5S-8E, 110 bbls with 14-64"; Fordoche, Texas No. 1 Long, S29-6S-8E, 52 bbls & 2455 MCF with 14-64".

St. Landry — Palmetto, Sinclair and Atlantic No. 1 Brewer-Neinstedt, S21-4S-6E, 273.90 bbls & 1.630 MCF, choke.

St. Mary — Jeanerette, Kerr-McGee No. 2 Roane, S41-13S-9E, 324 bbls with 10-64".

Abandonments were:

Acadia — Wildcat, Hawkins No. 1 Childs, S55-7S-1E, to 9127-dry.

Avoyelles — Bayou Twisty, Jett Drlg. No. 4 Fisher, S34-3N-5E, to 8212-dry.

Calcasieu — English Bayou, Union Sulphur No. A1 Mertz, S12-9S-8W, to 1500-Temp. Abd.

Concordia — Wildcat, Crow Drlg. No. 1 Bullis - Conn., S46-3N-8E, to 7117-dry.

Franklin — Lamar, Harper No. 1 Baker, S27-16N-9E, to 4890-dry; South Delhi, Harper No. A-2 Merritt, S11-16N-8E, to 3639-plugged.

Jefferson Davis — Roanoke, Pan Am No. 1 Williams, S18-9S-3W, to 12,412-dry; Welsh, Radke No. A-1 Ott-Peters-Radke, S22-9S-5W, to 2,386-dry.

Lafourche — Chacahoula, Freeport Sulphur No. 13 Dodge - Sundberry & Lehman, S65-15S-15E, to 1500-temp abn.

St. Charles — Paradis, Texas No. 38 LL&E Paradis, S11-3S-20E, to 13,505-temp. abn.

Terrebonne — Wildcat, Union Prod. No. D-1 LaTerre, S27-19S-16E to 14,471-dry.

Union — Wildcat, Morse No. 1 Tillman, S7-23N-3W, to 4135-dry; Ota, Shell No. 4 Frost "D" sec. 34-22N-1W, to 2150-plugged; No. 1 Frost E, S14-22N-1W, to 2149-plugged; No. 4 Frost Em S27-22N-1W, to 2148-plugged; No. 2 Futch, S34-22N-1W, to 2141-plugged.

Permits were:

Acadia - Egan, Placid No 1 Lynch S26-9S-2W, to 10,800'; South Crowley, Pray No. 1 Dallas, S21-10S-1E, to 10,300'.

Beauregard - North Bancroft, Kinley No. 1 Lutcher - Moore S19-5S-12W, to 8,0000' Cookfield; West Fields, Mankamer No. 2 Lutcher-Moore, S30-6S-12W, to 8600'.

Bossier - Bellevue, Hunter No. 2 Johnson, S34-19N-11W, to Tokio; Field, Houston No. 1 Burge, S32-20N-11W, to Nacatosh, Ivan, Carter No. 1 Young, S28-21N-11W, to Davis.

Caddo - Pine Island, Blasingame No. C1 State, S34-21N-16W, to Woodbine; No. B1 State, S34-21N-16W, to Nacatosh; Burnett No. A1 Gayle, S34-21N-15W, to Chalk; Cohen & Kosovitz, No. 4 Caddo Levee, S8-20N-15W, to Chalk; Lange No. 1 Caddo Levee, S8-20-15W, to Chalk; Lee No. 1 Logan, S26-21N-15W, to Chalk Morrison et al. No. B1 Vaughn, S7-21N-14W, to Annona Chalk; Phillips No. 2 Brandy, S33-21N-15W, to Chalk; Roberts et al. No. 2 Thomas, S3-20N-15W, to Chalk; Traman No. 5 Gamm-Wolff, S3-20N-15W, to Chalk; No. 6 Gamm-Wolff, S3-20N-15W, to Chalk; No. 7 Gamm - Wolff, S3-20N-15W, to Chalk; No. 8 Gamm - Wolff, S3 - 20 - 15W, to Chalk; Tran Wolff, S3-20-15W, to Chalk; Transtates No. 88-1 Gamm, S26-21N-15W to Chalk; No. 14 Thacker, S28-21N-15W, to Chalk; No. 15 Thacker, S28-21N-15W, to Chalk; Wroten & Kennedy No. 1 Muslow, S4-20N-15W, to Chalk; No. 2 Muslow, S4-20N-15W, to Chalk; Caddo - Pine Island, Gulf No. 290 Caddo Levee, S24-20N-16W, to 5400'; Johnson No. 4 Pala, S17-20N-15W, to Chalk; Keaderbrand & Guynes No. 1 Dorrity Fee, S7-20N-15W, to Annona; Rensbaw No. 9 Tyson - Fuller, S25-22N-15W, to Nacatosh; Stegall No. 1 Caddo School Bd., S15-19N-14W, to Woodbine; Texas No. B29 Noel, S14-21N-15W, to 1710'; No. B30 Noel, S14-21N-15W, to 1660'; No. B31 Noel, S14-21N-15W, to 1670'.

Calcasieu - Edgerly, Gilger & Walker No. 3 Higgins, S28-9S-11W, to 3500'; Iowa, Magnolia No. 1 Pascal, S2-9S-7W, to FX-15 - 12,000'; Starks, Jefferson Lake Sulphur No. 35-J, Lutcher - Moore, S19-9S-12W, to Gypsum; No. 64-J Lutcher-Moore S19-9S-12W, to Gypsum.

Cameron - Cameron Meadows, Magnolia No. 55 Cameron Meadows, S28-14S-13W, to 9600'; Little Pecan Lake, Pan Am No. 5 Miami Corp "B", S23-15S-4W, to 12,600'; East Mud Lake, Magnolia No. 7, Lutcher "C", S24-14S-11W, to 12,000'.

Concordia - Wildcat, Hunt No. 1 Karan, S46-3N-8E, to 7200' Wilcox; Bee Brake, Serio - Puncher - Gulf No. 1 Conn, S20-4N-7E, to 6850' Wilcox; Sunnyland No. 1 Magee-Evans, S17-6N-9E, to Wilcox; Horse shoe, Vasser No. 1-A King, S1-6N-7E, to 6500'; Wilcox; Roseland, Carter No. 3 Whorton, S25-4N-9E to Wilcox 7200'.

DeSoto - Logansport, Southern Prod. No. 1 Hoell, S20-12N-15W, to Pettit-6350'; Naborton, Scooter's No. 1 Williams, S22-12N-12W, to Woodbine; No. 2 Nabors, S22-12N-12W, to Woodbine.

Jefferson - Wildcat, Richardson & Bass No. 1 S-L 2383 (no sec.) 18S-23E, to 12,500'- Miocene; Lafitte, Texas No. C-3 Madison Realty, S15-17S-24E, to 4800'; No. 5 Jefferson School Bd., S16-17S-24E, to 12,500'.

Jefferson Davis - Iowa Shell No. 1 LeFranc, S6-9S-6W, to 9750'; No. 2 Corbello, S6-9S-6W, to 9750'.

Lafourche — Bay de Chene, Texas No. A-27 S-L 356, (no sec 19S-24E, to 11,000'; Chacahoula, Sun No. 41 D. S. & B., S77-15S-15E, to 10,500'; Texas No. 2 Howell, S56-15S-15E, 12,500'; Raceland, Hargrove No. 1 S. Coast, S33-15S-19E, to 10,200'; Valentine, Brown No. 17 Dousson, S100-17S-20E, to 10,000'; No. 18 Dousson, S100-17S-20E, to 12,900'; West Delta Farms, Hudson Gas & Oil No. 7 Greene, S2-17S-22E, to 11,300'.

LaSalle — Wildcat, Hunt No. 93 La. Delta S1-5N-3E, to 5200' Wilcox; No. 95 La. Delta, S32-6N-4E, to 5200' Wilcox; Standard, Arris-Hawkins No. 2 Crichett & Woods, S32-11N-3E, to Wilcox (2300').

Lincoln — Choudrant, International Nat. Gas No. 1 Templeton, S12-18N-2W, to Pettit.

Plaquemines — Wildcat, Richardson & Bass No. 1-E Humle, S27-17S-14E, to 12,000' Miocene; No. 3-E S-L 1891, S4-21S-26E, to 13,500' Miocene; Delta Duck Club, Texas No. 10 Delta Unit 2, S36-20S-19E, to 10,700'; Garden Island Bay, Freeport Sulphur No. 41 S-L 214, S108-23S-32E, to Sulphur Main Pass Block 69, California No. E-2 La. State 1354, in gulf, to 8150' sandl No. 31 S-L 1958 (no sec) to 8900'; Shell No. 1 S-L 1357, (no sec) to 8700'; No. 25 S-L 1961, (no sec) to 9900'; Romere Pass, California No. 91 Pass Unit, S13-20S-19E, to 9700'; South Pass Blk 24, Shell No. 1 S-L 1010, (no sec) to 11,000'.

St. Mary — South Jeanerette, Caraway No. 5 Hebert, S37-13S-9E, to 5,300' Miocene; Sweet Bay Lake, Texas No. 3 St. Mary School Bd., S16-17S-12E, to 11,700'.

Terrebonne — Bay Ste. Elaine, Freeport Sulphur No. 53 Bay Ste. Elaine, S8-22S-18E, to 900'; Texas No. 7-5 S-L 199, S9-22S-18E, to 11,500'; Bourg No. 2 Delta 10-S, S37-17S-18E, to 13,000' Krumbahr; Caillou Island, Texas No. 72 S-L 301 Terrebonne Bay, (no sec 23S-19E, to 11,700'; No. 73 S-L 301 (no sec) 23S-19E, to 9100'; Dog Lake, Texas No. 7-12 S-L 200, S28-21S-16E, to 12,500'; Four Isle Dome, Superior No. 1 LL&E, S10-21S-16E, to 13,000'; Kent Bayou, Union Prod. No. A-4, Continental Land, S3-18S-13E, to 11,200'; Lake Pelto, Texas No. 3-7 S-L 188, S5-23S-18E, to 12,500'.

St. Charles — Boutte, Texas No. 2 Rathborne, S18-14S-21E, to 12,500'.

Webster — Carterville, Cosmopolitan No. 1 Lebo, S37-23N-11W, to 2700' Buckrange; Cotton Valley, Midstates No. 1 Spencer-Gleason, S5-21N-9W, to Thru Pettit.

West Baton Rouge — Lobdell, Humble No. 2 Kamad, S82-7S-12E, to 9500'.

3 Producers Are Brought In During Week

Two of the three producers brought in during the past week were in Union parish, according to a weekly field report of oil and gas wells drilled and completed in the Monroe district for the period ending Dec. 17. The report, which also listed four wells plugged and abandoned and four new locations, was issued by the local office of the department of conservation, minerals division.

The two Union parish producers were: La. Gas Prod. Co.-Antley No. 2, brought in on Dec. 14 in 3,024 MCF with an estimated flow of 150 MCF. It is was located in Section 6, Township 19, Range 3E of the Monroe field. Also in the same location of the Monroe field was the La. Gas Prod. Co.-Smith No. 2, completed on Dec. 8 in 3,635 MCF.

The single other producer, located in Section 1, Township 19, Range 10E of the Epps field of East Carroll parish, was the H. L. Hawkins & F. S. Kelly, Jr.-Hawkins & Kelly-Fee No. 1 and 1A completed on No. 24.

Wells plugged and abandoned were:

Concordia parish (Esperance Point field)-Jett Drlg. Co.-Hogue-Esper No. 1, plugged on Dec. 15 in Sec. 8-5-9E; (Wildsville field)-E. C. Wentworth Co.-Wilds No. B-1, abandoned on Dec. 12 in Sec. 7-7-7E.

LaSalle parish (Tullos - Urania field)-La.-La. Oil Corp.-Pringle No. 5, plugged on Dec. 16, in Sec. 26-10-1E.

Ouachita parish (wild cat field)-McCalman Drlg. Co.-Filhiol No. A-1, plugged and abandoned on Dec. 11, Sec. 5-15-4E.

New locations listed were:

Concordia parish (wild cat field)-Jett Drlg. Co., Inc.-A. B. Learned No. 1, from the NW corner of Sec. 47, go east along the section line 7,000', thence S 582' to location in Sec. 46, Sec. 48-2-8E.

LaSalle parish (Little Creek field)-W. H. Blasingame Co.-Flora L. Brooks et al No. 1, 1980'S-2180'W of the NE corner, Sec. 32-9-2E.

Union parish (Monroe field)-Interstate Nat'l.-Fee Gas No. 338, 660'N-660'W of the SE corner, Se. 17-20-3E; Interstate Nat'l. Fee Gas No. 339, 1980'S-1980'W of the NE corner, Sec. 8-20-3E.

Reappraisal Of U. S. Policies In Asia Overdue

Editor's Note—The author of this story, AP staff writer Russell Brines, was one of three newsmen accompanying Vice President Nixon on his fact-finding tour of Asia and the Middle East. Brines, former AP bureau chief in Tokyo and veteran of 17 years' reporting in the Pacific and Far East, returned to the Orient for this trip after a two-year absence.

By RUSSELL BRINES

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19 (AP)—Vice President Nixon came back from Asia with a prize election-year headache for President Eisenhower.

Nixon found, on his 45,000-mile world tour, that the United States may have to spend more money and take a stronger hand in Asian affairs to prevent further Communist gains.

This is sad news for an administration trying to pare expenditures before next November's important congressional elections.

But Nixon brought word, for example, that a far-reaching decision may have to be made in order to save Indochina, gateway to rich Southeast Asia—the really important goal of Communist military aggression in Asia.

The choice, which may have to be made before next November, is this: whether to go all-out in backing the French, with more arms and possibly even military forces, in order to keep them in their bitter seven years', war or whether to support growing Paris demands for a Korean-style negotiated truce. This would risk losing the peninsula politically to the Communists.

A second basic decision may have to be made next year. The question is whether to add vital Pakistan to the armed powers linked to the United States, through a new military aid program, or to bow to violent objections raised by India's Prime Minister Jawaharlal Nehru. Either choice means a change of policy.

The administration probably faces criticism no matter what it does on these problems, and particularly if it does nothing.

Nixon further saw the need for a complete review and strengthening of American Asiatic policy.

The truth is that after thousands of lives and billions of dollars, the Allied powers have erected, in many parts of Asia, only a house of cards that the Communists can blow down almost at will.

Politically, there is no over-all leadership. Free Asia is in danger of splitting into quarreling fragments, ripe for Communist plucking. The United States has convinced less than half of free Asia's bewildered people of the need to fight communism.

Patchwork planning has brought temporary economic stability that is dazzling in the boom towns of Tokyo and Manila. But it rests mainly upon American dollar expenditures, and the boom will collapse when they end.

No progress has been made toward solving the great fundamental problems of Asia — Japan's growing, crowded population; South Korea's inability to support itself; India's vast need for modernization.

And the biggest question of all remains unanswered: "Can free Asia exist alongside a powerful, aggressive Red China?"

All indications are that the Chinese Communists now are profiting from the fighting lull to tighten their internal control and strengthen their armies for the next step in a timeless blueprint of conquest.

There is no indication that they have learned any sort of "lesson" by their mauling in Korea.

Instead, time is narrowing the choice between two politically explosive alternatives:

1. To give up piecemeal protection of Asia and try saving it by warning Peiping clearly that its next attack will bring military reprisals against China.

2. To adopt the British-Indian hope that recognizing the Red regime will blunt its aggressive intentions.

Free Asia has been drifting during the past two years, largely because of this uncertainty.

There have been local improvements — the leftist Hukbalahaps have been driven to the mountains in the Philippines, and a new regime promises internal reforms; Burma's government is winning its fight against four insurrections; the Malayan Communists have been pushed into the jungle.

But these subversive forces can arise again if Peiping wills it. Economic and political improvements are only temporary, if the Chinese Communists march once more.

Military power alone will not save Asia, but the free nations cannot be saved unless Red China, an imperialist nation in her own right, is curbed or thwarted.

The only thing approaching a guaranteed peace along the vast and populous stretch of the Asiatic continent is in Korea. It is underwritten by a double Maginot Line of hundreds of underground fortifications along both sides of the truce line. Any attacking army would suffer terrific losses.

It is difficult to believe that either side—or even South Korea's stubborn President Syngman Rhee—would risk the cost of an attack.

Yet, even in Korea, no one knows how long peace will last, because Peiping and Moscow are making the decision. And no one knows how long United Nations troops will have to be maintained there to enforce the peace.

On the second warfront, Indochina, the immediate military prospect is more encouraging than at any time in this long war between French and Allied forces on the one hand and the Vietminh rebels of Moscow-trained Ho Chi Minh on the other.

The new French commander, Gen. Henri Navarre, has brought revitalized strategy to lethargic armies. Recent offensive action, powered by hundreds of millions of dollars worth of American arms, has brought hope to some American officials that the Vietminh can be crushed in a year. Other Americans say it will still take years at the present rate.

In any case, a drive toward military victory will bring the French and the entire free world up against the perennial question: "What will Red China do?"

At least 10,000 Chinese Communists are known to be serving as technicians and advisers with the Vietminh, although none have been identified in action. Peiping is responsible for much of Ho's strategy and virtually all of his heavy supplies.

No one in the field professes to believe that the Chinese Communists, with massed armies on the Indochina border, would sit idly by during a Vietminh collapse, any more than they did in Korea.

Beneath this shadow, long-simmering French opposition to their distant and hopeless war is growing rapidly, spurred by the example of the Korean truce. The present Laniel government is committed now to continuing the fight, but no one can be sure when it will change or be changed.

In Korea, an uncertain peace was concluded along a stable battle line, with the native strong man, President Rhee, on the side of the free world. In Indochina, the battle line weaves throughout the country, and the dominant political personality, Ho ChiMinh, is on the Communist side.

There is little doubt that a negotiated truce would, in time, hand the peninsula over to Ho through a political victory he was unable to achieve militarily.

This would expose all of rich Southeast Asia—with its rubber, tin, bauxite and oil—to the Communists. The French have spent 140,000 casualties and six billion dollars trying to keep them out.

American expenditures on the Indochina campaign, averaging half a billion dollars annually for the past few years, will soar over one billion dollars this year.

But if Washington wants to keep the French fighting, it will have to consider this key question: "How far will this country go in increasing support, with American troops if necessary, in case the Chinese

Killed Exiled Bolshevist With Axe

Trotsky's Assassin Now Eligible For Parole But He Remains Mystery Man

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 19 (AP)—The killer of Leon Trotsky becomes eligible for parole tomorrow but the cloud of mystery surrounding him is as thick as the day he entered jail 13 years ago.

Officially, he is Jacques Mornard, a Belgian. But he has been partly identified under five other names, of as many different nationalities; and the current belief is that he is really Ramon del Rio Mercader of a Spanish Communist family.

Whoever he is, he killed Trotsky, the famous revolutionary exile and rival of Stalin, with a mountain climber's axe Aug. 20, 1940, in Trotsky's heavily guarded home here.

He was arrested at once, and after a three-year wait in jail he was sentenced to 19½ years for the killing and six months more for carrying a concealed weapon, the ice axe.

Under Mexican law, sentence starts from the time a prisoner is jailed, and the prisoner becomes eligible for parole on completion of two-thirds of his sentence—in this case after 13 years, four months.

Mornard has refused to talk to reporters about his plans, and he has not yet asked for release.

But he has told prison officials he will apply for parole. If he does apply his request is likely to be granted because he has had a good record in the big stone prison here.

But Mornard has worked out a nice life for himself in jail, and nobody knows what would await him outside prison walls.

Some theorists say that friends of Trotsky might like to take vengeance on him. Others suggest that if someone gave the orders for Trotsky's execution they might take an opportunity to assure that Mornard never does any talking.

Mornard himself always denied killing Trotsky on the orders of Stalin or anyone else. He said he killed the old revolutionist because he was "disillusioned" in him—although his actual plea was self defense.

Stalin is dead now. Soviet police czar Lavrenty P. Beria, who was reported to have been a protector of Caridad del Mercader, Ramon's brother, is in disgrace. Trotskyism here has been dying out since the leader died.

Is anybody interested very much in Mornard any more?

The answer may be a long time coming.

He is heavily guarded in prison. He has a private suite to himself because prison officials have always been afraid of an assassination attempt. For the suite he pays 500 pesos ($58) a month from a mysterious income.

Two strong guards accompany him on his trips from the special cell block to a little prison radio shop where he hires other prisoners to work for him. While in prison he bought books on radio and became an expert on the subject. In his little shop he repairs radios for other inmates and is even allowed to build radios and sell them to visitors.

If he is released, prison friends have reported, he hopes to start a radio repair shop in Mexico City.

A prison employe in the radio shop who quarreled with Mornard reported the assassin receives 3,000 pesos ($350) a month from the Russian Embassy, in addition to his income from the radio shop.

Mexico's prison rules allow him to have overnight visits in his quarters with his sweetheart, a Mexican girl. He has his books and his leisure.

Crippled Children's Christmas Party Held

The Ouachita Parish Crippled Children and Adult Association held its annual Christmas party Thursday night at the Missouri Pacific Booster Club with one of the largest groups ever to attend. The program was supplied by Miss Armadine Renaud and her dancing classes and the Carroll High School singers.

Mrs. Louis Masur Jr., and Mrs. Meyer Glazer, co-chairmen of the party, yesterday issued a notice of thanks to the many Monroe-West Monroe merchants who donated gifts and funds for the yearly affair.

The children were greeted at the door with fruit, candy and peanuts and were later served ice cream and cake.

Rev. R. L. Ross, president of the association, gave a short address of welcome, after which Rev. H. L. Johns gave the invocation. The program of dances and singing followed.

The co - chairmen also expressed thanks to Captain Dupree and the many firemen who worked hard to make the party a success. The firemen were in charge of setting up the party.

Camp Polk Boy, 4, Getting First U. S. Christmas

CAMP POLK, La., Dec. 19 (Special) — After four years of waiting and 15,000 miles of traveling, little Rudy Williams will get to celebrate his first American Christmas Friday.

The 4-year-old Austrian born boy, son of Sergeant First Class Robert Williams of the 37th infantry division band, wasn't able to come over with his father when he was transferred to the United States in 1952. His mother, whom Sgt. Williams married while in Austria, got her visa all right, but something happened and Rudy's visa didn't come. So for a year he has been living with his grandparents, waiting for his daddy to come after him.

Last week Sgt. Williams ended a 15,000 mile journey which brought Rudy to his new home at South Camp Polk Village. He traveled by train, plane, bus and any other way he could to get to Gmudin, Austria, and pick up Rudy, and the trip back was the same way. But Rudy? He loved it.

"On the flight to the States Rudy had a big time on that airplane," Sgt. Williams said. "When we got over Boston, Mass., he kept looking out the window at the lights below, and it took all I could do to persuade him to come away from the window."

Sgt. Williams was given an emergency leave as soon as he found that Rudy's visa had been cleared. The trip there and back took about 20 days.

Helga, his wife, was busy this week making up for all the time she and Rudy had been apart. The slender, black - haired Austrian mother was so glad to be with her son she hardly had eyes for anything else.

"It's the best Christmas present I could have," she kept saying in her fluent English. "To be away from him last Christmas was bad, and now to have him with us . . . I just can't say how happy I am."

Christmas this year will be a novelty for Rudy. He was old enough last year to understand what it was all about, but this year he'll have to learn about it all over again. It just doesn't work the same way here that it does in Austria.

Mrs. Williams explained it: "In Austria, Rudy believed that on Christmas eve Santa Claus comes and leaves a tree, all decorated, with presents under it. Here, of course, we put up the tree before Christmas. So Rudy doesn't understand."

Rudy doesn't speak English, of course, but he doesn't have too much trouble understanding the children he plays with. "He speaks Austrian and they answer him in English," Mrs. Williams said. "It is strange, but they seem to know just what the other means."

Sgt. Williams said he wouldn't try to teach Rudy English. "It wouldn't be fair to him to force him to make an effort to learn a new language. He will pick it up naturally, through playing with other children and by hearing Helga and me talk. That way he won't get confused about languages."

But as far as Rudy is concerned you can say Christmas in any language. It's all the same to him, because now he's with his parents.

STUDDARDS WED 50 YEARS

John David King Dies In Ferriday

FERRIDAY, Dec. 19. (Special) —John David (Buck) King, 46, owner and manager of the King Hotel died here early today after a short illness.

King was a well known Ferriday businessman having resided here since 1912

Funeral services are scheduled for Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Presbyterian Church. Interment, under the direction of Young's Funeral Home, will follow in the Natchez cemetery.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Nell King; one son, John David, Jr., Camp Hanford, Wash.; father, John C. King, of Ferriday; and one sister, Mrs. John McBride, of Shreveport.

The Ferriday Lodge, No. 390, F and AM, will act as pallbearers and will conduct masonic services.

Kennon Asks Aid For Pusan, Korea

BATON ROUGE, La., Dec. 19—UP—Gov. Robert F. Kennon Saturday urged Louisianians to heed the urgent request of Gen. James A. Van Fleet for aid to fire-stricke Pusan, Korea.

Gen. Van Fleet, chairman of the American-Korean Foundation, notified the governor that a nation-wide drive for funds will begin Monday for the people of Pusan, which was virtually destroyed by fire last month.

Gen. Van Fleet said the Eighth Army commander in Korea, Gen. Maxwell Taylor, had cabled an appeal for urgent assistance to speed up rehabilitation in the stricken city.

The first mercy ship will leave San Francisco with four million pounds of supplies Jan. 15.

"Whether or not you have contributed before, your help is needed for this and additional mercy ships," the governor said. "Your gift large or small, will be rendered to the neediest cases in Korea and will reflect the true spirit of Christmas."

Gov. Kennon said funds should be sent direct to Gen. Van Fleet as chairman of the American-Korean Foundation, 345 East 46th Street, New York 17, N.Y.

Studdards Happy After 50 Years Of Married Life

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Studda recently celebrated their 50th a niversary. They were married Cleveland County, Ark., in Dece ber 1903.

For the past 30 years, they ha resided in Ward 1, Ouachita pari where with their son, Police Jur F. G. Studdard. They are operati a 600-acre cotton plantation. Th home is on the Riverstix plan tion, and they are widely kno and much respected.

The house was made beauti with seasonal flowers and ma came to be their guests and to licitate them on the occasion their golden wedding.

Besides their son, who with family lives with them, they ha a daughter, Mrs. Roy C. Welc of Ruston; five grandchildren, a three great grandchildren.

Couple And Child Killed In Crash

MINCO, Okla., Dec. 19—UP—Blessing, Tex., couple and one their three children were kill Saturday when their car struck stalled truck on U. S. 81 thr miles south of Minco.

The other two children were ba ly injured.

The dead were Woodrow Atha, his wife, and their daughte Jane, 5. The injured children, bo taken to a Chickasha, Okla., ho pital, are Michael, 11, and Step en, 9.

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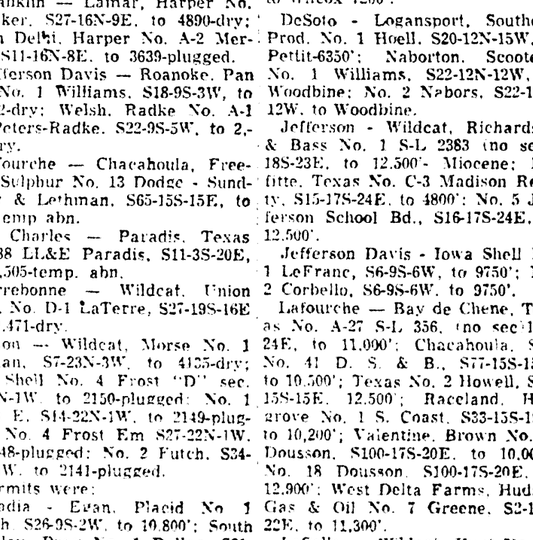

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LOUISIANA OIL GAS NEWS

REPORT STATE

BATON ROUGE, La., (AP)—The Louisiana Conservation Department in its weekly oil report lists completion of 17 wells with a combined daily production of 3616.68 bbls oil and 14,165,000 cubic foot of gas, abandonment of 18 tests and issuance of permits for 90 new wells.

Completions were:

Acadia — Church Point, Union Sulphur No. B 1 Harmon, S69-7S-2E, 116 bbls with 8-64" choke.

Ascension — Sorrento, Texas No. 22 United Lands, S13-10S-4E, 32 bbls oil and 5,680 MCF gas, choke.

Cameron — Cameron Meadows, Magnolia No. 54 Meadows, S28-14S-13W, 551 bbls with 13-64"; South Pecan Lake, Pan Am No. 10 Miami, S4-15S-3W, 20 bbls oil and 4400 MCF gas with 14"; West Hackberry, Stanolind No. 9 Duhon, S22-12S-10W, 132.08 bbls with 14-64".

Iberia — Weeks Island, Shell No. 2 Cont.-Smith, S13-14S-6E, 421 bbls with 5-64"; No. 2 Benjamin-State, S14-14S-6E, 292 bbls with 10-64".

Iberville — White Castle, Shell No. 51 Wilbert, S8-11S-12E, 119 bbls with 14-64".

Lafourche — Bay de Chene, Texas No. 28 S-L 356, (no sec)19S-24E, 168 bbls with ⅛; Leeville, Texas No. 1 South La. Canal, S23-21S-22E, 127 bbls choke.

Plaquemines — Cox Bay, Richardson & Bass No. 56-H Bay Unit, S3-18S-16E, 141 bbls with 8-64"; Lake Washington, Mecom & Freeport Sulphur No. 3 S-L 2028, S27-19S-26E, 316 bbls with 12-64"; No. 10 Cockrell, S34-19S-26E, 421.70 bbls with 12-64".

Pointe Coupee — Bayou Fordoche, Texas No. 1 Haas, S43-5S-8E, 110 bbls with 14-64"; Fordoche, Texas No. 1 Long, S29-6S-8E, 52 bbls & 2455 MCF with 14-64".

St. Landry — Palmetto, Sinclair and Atlantic No. 1 Brewer-Neinstedt, S21-4S-6E, 273.90 bbls & 1.630 MCF, choke.

St. Mary — Jeanerette, Kerr-McGee No. 2 Roane, S41-13S-9E, 324 bbls with 10-64".

Abandonments were:

Acadia — Wildcat, Hawkins No. 1 Childs, S55-7S-1E, to 9127-dry.

Avoyelles — Bayou Twisty, Jett Drlg. No. 4 Fisher, S34-3N-5E, to 8212-dry.

Calcasieu — English Bayou, Union Sulphur No. A1 Mertz, S12-9S-8W, to 1500-Temp. Abd.

Concordia — Wildcat, Crow Drlg. No. 1 Bullis - Conn., S46-3N-8E, to 7117-dry.

Franklin — Lamar, Harper No. 1 Baker, S27-16N-9E, to 4890-dry; South Delhi, Harper No. A-2 Merritt, S11-16N-8E, to 3639-plugged.

Jefferson Davis — Roanoke, Pan Am No. 1 Williams, S18-9S-3W, to 12,412-dry; Welsh, Radke No. A-1 Ott-Peters-Radke, S22-9S-5W, to 2,386-dry.

Lafourche — Chacahoula, Freeport Sulphur No. 13 Dodge - Sundberry & Lethman, S65-15S-15E, to 1500-temp abn.

St. Charles — Paradis, Texas No. 38 LL&E Paradis, S11-3S-20E, to 13,505-temp. abn.

Terrebonne — Wildcat, Union Prod. No. D-1 LaTerre, S27-19S-16E to 14,471-dry.

Union — Wildcat, Morse No. 1 Tillman, S7-23N-3W, to 4135-dry; Ora, Shell No. 4 Frost "D" sec. 34-22N-1W, to 2150-plugged; No. 1 Frost E, S14-22N-1W, to 2149-plugged; No. 4 Frost Em S27-22N-1W, to 2148-plugged; No. 2 Futch, S34-22N-1W, to 2141-plugged.

Permits were:

Acadia - Egan, Placid No. 1 Lynch, S26-9S-2W, to 10,800'; South Crowley, Pray No. 1 Dallas, S21-10S-1E, to 10,300'.

Beauregard - North Bancroft, Kinley No. 1 Lutcher - Moore, S19-5S-12W, to 8,0000' Cookfield; West Fields, Mankamer No. 2 Lutcher-Moore, S30-6S-12W, to 8600'.

Bossier - Bellevue, Hunter No. 2 Johnson, S34-19N-11W, to Tokio; Field, Houston No. 1 Burge, S32-20N-11W, to Nacatosh, Ivan, Carter No. 1 Young, S28-21N-11W, to Davis.

Caddo - Pine Island, Blasingame No. C1 State, S34-21N-16W, to Woodbine; No. B1 State, S34-21N-16W, to Nacatosh; Burnett No. A1 Gayle, S34-21N-15W, to Chalk; Cohen & Kosovitz, No. 4 Caddo Levee, S8-20N-15W, to Chalk; Lange No. 1 Caddo Levee, S8-20-15W, to Chalk; Lee No. 1 Logan, S26-21N-15W, to Chalk Morrison et al. No. B1 Vaughn, S7-21N-14W, to Annona Chalk; Phillips No. 2 Brandy, S33-21N-15W, to Chalk; Roberts et al. No. 2 Thomas, S3-20N-15W, to Chalk; Traman No. 5 Gamm-Wolff, S3-20N-15W, to Chalk; No. 6 Gamm-Wolff, S3-20N-15W, to Chalk; No. 7 Gamm - Wolff, S3-20N-15W, to Chalk; No. 8 Gamm - Wolff, S3 - 20 - 15W, to Chalk; Tran Wolff, S3-20-15W, to Chalk; Transtates No. 88-1 Gamm, S26-21N-15W to Chalk; No. 14 Thacker, S28-21N-15W, to Chalk; No. 15 Thacker, S28-21N-15W, to Chalk; Wroten & Kennedy No. 1 Muslow, S4-20N-15W, to Chalk; No. 2 Muslow, S4-20N-15W, to Chalk; Caddo - Pine Island, Gulf No. 290 Caddo Levee, S24-20N-16W, to 5400'; Johnson No. 4 Pala, S17-20N-15W, to Chalk; Keaderbrand & Guynes No. 1 Dorrity Fee, S7-20N-15W, to Annona; Rensbaw No. 9 Tyson - Fuller, S25-22N-15W, to Nacatosh; Stegall No. 1 Caddo School Bd., S15-19N-14W, to Woodbine; Texas No. B29 Noel, S14-21N-15W, to 1710'; No. B30 Noel, S14-21N-15W, to 1660'; No. B31 Noel, S14-21N-15W, to 1670'.

Calcasieu - Edgerly, Gilger & Walker No. 3 Higgins, S28-9S-11W, to 3500'; Iowa, Magnolia No. 1 Pascal, S2-9S-7W, to FX-15 - 12,000'; Starks, Jefferson Lake Sulphur No. 35-J Lutcher - Moore, S19-9S-12W, to Gypsum; No. 64-J Lutcher-Moore S19-9S-12W, to Gypsum.

Cameron - Cameron Meadows, Magnolia No. 55 Cameron Meadows, S28-14S-13W, to 9600'; Little Pecan Lake, Pan Am No. 5 Miami Corp "B", S23-15S-4W, to 12,600'; East Mud Lake, Magnolia No. 7, Lutcher "C", S24-14S-11W, to 12,000'.

Concordia - Wildcat, Hunt No. 1 Karan, S46-3N-8E, to 7200' Wilcox; Bee Brake, Serio - Puncher - Gulf No. 1 Conn, S20-4N-7E, to 6850' Wilcox; Sunnyland No. 1 Magee-Evans, S17-6N-9E, to Wilcox; Horse shoe, Vasser No. 1-A King, S1-6N-7E, to 6500'; Wilcox; Roseland, Carter No. 3 Whorton, S25-4N-9E to Wilcox 7200'.

DeSoto - Logansport, Southern Prod. No. 1 Hoell, S20-12N-15W, to Pettit-6350'; Naborton, Scooter's No. 1 Williams, S22-12N-12W, to Woodbine; No. 2 Nabors, S22-12N-12W, to Woodbine.

Jefferson - Wildcat, Richardson & Bass No. 1 S-L 2383 (no sec.) 18S-23E, to 12,500'- Miocene; Lafitte, Texas No. C-3 Madison Realty, S15-17S-24E, to 4800'; No. 5 Jefferson School Bd., S16-17S-24E, to 12,500'.

Jefferson Davis - Iowa Shell No. 1 LeFranc, S6-9S-6W, to 9750'; No. 2 Corbello, S6-9S-6W, to 9750'.

Lafourche — Bay de Chene, Texas No. A-27 S-L 356, (no sec)19S-24E, to 11,000'; Chacahoula, Sun No. 41 D. S. & B., S77-15S-15E, to 10,500'; Texas No. 2 Howell, S56-15S-15E, 12,500'; Raceland, Hargrove No. 1 S. Coast, S33-15S-19E, to 10,200'; Valentine, Brown No. 17 Dousson, S100-17S-20E, to 10,000'; No. 18 Dousson, S100-17S-20E, to 12,900'; West Delta Farms, Hudson Gas & Oil No. 7 Greene, S2-17S-22E, to 11,300'.

LaSalle — Wildcat, Hunt No. 93 La. Delta, S1-5N-3E, to 5200' Wilcox; No. 95 La. Delta, S32-6N-4E, to 5300' Wilcox; Standard, Arris-S32-11N-3E, to Wilcox (2300').

Lincoln — Choudrant, International Nat. Gas No. 1 Templeton, S12-18N-2W, to Pettit.

Plaquemines — Wildcat, Richardson & Bass No. 1-E Humle, S27-17S-14E, to 12,000' Miocene; No. 3-E S-L 1891, S4-21S-26E, to 13,500' Miocene; Delta Duck Club, Texas No. 10 Delta Unit 2, S36-20S-19E, to 10,700'; Garden Island Bay, Freeport Sulphur No. 41 S-L 214, S108-23S-32E, to Sulphur Main Pass Block 69, California No. E-2 La. State 1354, in gulf, to 8150' sandl No. 31 S-L 1958 (no sec) to 8900'; Shell No. 1 S-L 1357, (no sec) to 8700'; No. 25 S-L 1961, (no sec) to 9900'; Romere Pass, California No. 91 Pass Unit, S13-20S-19E, to 9700'; South Pass Blk 24, Shell No. 1 S-L 1010, (no sec) to 11,000'.

St. Mary — South Jeanerette, Caraway No. 5 Hebert, S37-13S-9E, to 5,300' Miocene; Sweet Bay Lake, Texas No. 3 St. Mary School Bd., S16-17S-12E, to 11,700'.

Terrebonne — Bay Ste. Elaine, Freeport Sulphur No. 53 Bay Ste. Elaine, S8-22S-18E, to 900'; Texas No. 7-5 S-L 199, S9-22S-18E, to 11,500'; Bourg No. 2 Delta 10-S, S37-17S-18E, to 13,000' Krumbahr; Caillou Island, Texas No. 72 S-L 301 Terrebonne Bay, (no sec 23S-19E, to 11,700'; No. 73 S-L 301 (no sec) 23S-19E, to 9100'; Dog Lake, Texas No. 7-12 S-L 200, S28-21S-16E, to 12,500'; Four Isle Dome, Superior No. 1 LL&E, S10-21S-16E, to 13,000'; Kent Bayou, Union Prod. No. A-4, Continental Land, S3-18S-13E, to 11,200'; Lake Pelto, Texas No. 3-7 S-L 188, S5-23S-18E, to 12,500'.

St. Charles — Boutte, Texas No. 2 Rathborne, S18-14S-21E, to 12,500'.

Webster — Carterville, Cosmopolitan No. 1 Lebo, S37-23N-11W, to 2700' Buckrange; Cotton Valley, Midstates No. 1 Spencer-Gleason, S5-21N-9W, to Thru Pettit.

West Baton Rouge — Lobdell, Humble No. 2 Kamad, S82-7S-12E, to 9500'.

3 Producers Are Brought In During Week

Two of the three producers brought in during the past week were in Union parish, according to a weekly field report of oil and gas wells drilled and completed in the Monroe district for the period ending Dec. 17. The report, which also listed four wells plugged and abandoned and four new locations, was issued by the local office of the department of conservation, minerals division.

The two Union parish producers were: La. Gas Prod. Co.-Antley No. 2, brought in on Dec. 14 in 3,024 MCF with an estimated flow of 150 MCF. It is was located in Section 6, Township 19, Range 3E of the Monroe field. Also in the same location of the Monroe field was the La. Gas Prod. Co.-Smith No. 2, completed on Dec. 8 in 3,635 MCF.

The single other producer, located in Section 1, Township 19, Range 10E of the Epps field of East Carroll parish, was the H. L. Hawkins & F. S. Kelly, Jr.-Hawkins & Kelly-Fee No. 1 and 1A completed on No. 24.

Wells plugged and abandoned were:

Concordia parish (Esperance Point field)-Jett Drlg. Co.-Hogue-Esper No. 1, plugged on Dec. 15 in Sec. 8-5-9E; (Wildsville field)-E. C. Wentworth Co.-Wilds No. B-1, abandoned on Dec. 12 in Sec. 7-7-7E.

LaSalle parish (Tullos - Urania field)-la.-La. Oil Corp.-Pringle No. 5, plugged on Dec. 16, in Sec. 26-10-1E.

Ouachita parish (wild cat field)-McCalman Drlg. Co.-Filhiol No. A-1, plugged and abandoned on Dec. 11, Sec. 5-15-4E.

New locations listed were:

Concordia parish (wild cat field)-Jett Drlg. Co., Inc.-A. B. Learned No. 1, from the NW corner of Sec. 47, go east along the section line 7,000', thence S 582' to location in Sec. 48, Sec. 48-2-8E.

LaSalle parish (Little Creek field)-W. H. Blasingame Co.-Flora L. Brooks et al No. 1, 1980'S-2180'W of the NE corner, Sec. 32-9-2E.

Union parish (Monroe field)-Interstate Nat'l.-Fee Gas No. 338, 660'N-660'W of the SE corner, Se. 17-20-3E; Interstate Nat'l. Fee Gas No. 339, 1980'S-1980'W of the NE corner, Sec. 8-20-3E.

Reappraisal Of U. S. Policies In Asia Overdue

Editor's Note—The author of this story, AP staff writer Russell Brines, was one of three newsmen accompanying Vice President Nixon on his fact-finding tour of Asia and the Middle East. Brines, former AP bureau chief in Tokyo and veteran of 17 years' reporting in the Pacific and Far East, returned to the Orient for this trip after a two-year absence.

By RUSSELL BRINES

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19 (AP)—Vice President Nixon came back from Asia with a prize election-year headache for President Eisenhower.

Nixon found, on his 45,000-mile world tour, that the United States may have to spend more money and take a stronger hand in Asian affairs to prevent further Communist gains.

This is sad news for an administration trying to pare expenditures before next November's important congressional elections.

But Nixon brought word, for example, that a far-reaching decision may have to be made in order to save Indochina, gateway to rich Southeast Asia—the really important goal of Communist military aggression in Asia.

The choice, which may have to be made before next November, is this: whether to go all-out in backing the French, with more arms and possibly even military forces, in order to keep them in their bitter seven years' war or whether to support growing Paris demands for a Korean-style negotiated truce. This would risk losing the peninsula politically to the Communists.

A second basic decision may have to be made next year. The question is whether to add vital Pakistan to the armed powers linked to the United States, through a new military aid program, or to bow to violent objections raised by India's Prime Minister Jawaharlal Nehru. Either choice means a change of policy.

The administration probably faces criticism no matter what it does on these problems, and particularly if it does nothing.

Nixon further saw the need for a complete review and strengthening of American Asiatic policy.

The truth is that after thousands of lives and billions of dollars, the Allied powers have erected, in many parts of Asia, only a house of cards that the Communists can blow down almost at will.

Politically, there is no over-all leadership. Free Asia is in danger of splitting into quarreling fragments, ripe for Communist plucking. The United States has convinced less than half of free Asia's bewildered people of the need to fight communism.

Patchwork planning has brought temporary economic stability that is dazzling in the boom towns of Tokyo and Manila. But it rests mainly upon American dollar expenditures, and the boom will collapse when they end.

No progress has been made toward solving the great fundamental problems of Asia — Japan's growing, crowded population; South Korea's inability to support itself; India's vast need for modernization.

And the biggest question of all remains unanswered: "Can free Asia exist alongside a powerful, aggressive Red China?"

All indications are that the Chinese Communists now are profiting from the fighting lull to tighten their internal control and strengthen their armies for the next step in a timeless blueprint of conquest.

There is no indication that they have learned any sort of "lesson" by their mauling in Korea.

Instead, time is narrowing the choice between two politically explosive alternatives:

1. To give up piecemeal protection of Asia and try saving it by warning Peiping clearly that its next attack will bring military reprisals against China.

2. To adopt the British-Indian hope that recognizing the Red regime will blunt its aggressive intentions.

Free Asia has been drifting during the past two years, largely because of this uncertainty.

There have been local improvements — the leftist Hukbalahaps have been driven to the mountains in the Philippines, and a new regime promises internal reforms; Burma's government is winning its fight against four insurrections; the Malayan Communists have been pushed into the jungle.

But these subversive forces can arise again if Peiping wills it. Economic and political improvements are only temporary, if the Chinese Communists march once more.

Military power alone will not save Asia, but the free nations cannot be saved unless Red China, an imperialist nation in her own right, is curbed or thwarted.

The only thing approaching a guaranteed peace along the vast and populous stretch of the Asiatic continent is in Korea. It is underwritten by a double Maginot Line of hundreds of underground fortifications along both sides of the truce line. Any attacking army would suffer terrific losses.

It is difficult to believe that either side—or even South Korea's stubborn President Syngman Rhee—would risk the cost of an attack.

Yet, even in Korea, no one knows how long peace will last, because Peiping and Moscow are making the decision. And no one knows how long United Nations troops will have to be maintained there to enforce the peace.

On the second warfront, Indochina, the immediate military prospect is more encouraging than at any time in this long war between French and Allied forces on the one hand and the Vietminh rebels of Moscow-trained Ho Chi Minh on the other.

The new French commander, Gen. Henri Navarre, has brought revitalized strategy to lethargic armies. Recent offensive action, powered by hundreds of millions of dollars worth of American arms, has brought hope to some American officials that the Vietminh can be crushed in a year. Other Americans say it will still take years at the present rate.

In any case, a drive toward military victory will bring the French and the entire free world up against the perennial question: "What will Red China do?"

At least 10,000 Chinese Communists are known to be serving as technicians and advisers with the Vietminh, although none have been identified in action. Peiping is responsible for much of Ho's strategy and virtually all of his heavy supplies.

No one in the field professes to believe that the Chinese Communists, with massed armies on the Indochina border, would sit idly by during a Vietminh collapse, any more than they did in Korea.

Beneath this shadow, long-simmering French opposition to their distant and hopeless war is growing rapidly, spurred by the example of the Korean truce. The present Laniel government is committed now to continuing the fight, but no one can be sure when it will change or be changed.

In Korea, an uncertain peace was concluded along a stable battle line, with the native strong man, President Rhee, on the side of the free world. In Indochina, the battle line weaves throughout the country, and the dominant political personality, Ho ChiMinh, is on the Communist side.

There is little doubt that a negotiated truce would, in time, hand the peninsula over to Ho through a political victory he was unable to achieve militarily.

This would expose all of rich Southeast Asia—with its rubber, tin, bauxite and oil—to the Communists. The French have spent 140,000 casualties and six billion dollars trying to keep them out.

American expenditures on the Indochina campaign, averaging half a billion dollars annually for the past few years, will soar over one billion dollars this year.

But if Washington wants to keep the French fighting, it will have to consider this key question: "How far will this country go in increasing support, with American troops if necessary, in case the Chinese

STUDDARDS WED 50 YEARS

John David King Dies In Ferriday

FERRIDAY, Dec. 19. (Special)—John David (Buck) King, 46, owner and manager of the King Hotel died here early today after a short illness.

King was a well known Ferriday businessman having resided here since 1912

Funeral services are scheduled for Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Presbyterian Church. Interment, under the direction of Young's Funeral Home, will follow in the Natchez cemetery.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Nell King; one son, John David, Jr., Camp Hanford, Wash.; father, John C. King, of Ferriday; and one sister, Mrs. John McBride, of Shreveport.

The Ferriday Lodge, No. 390, F and AM, will act as pallbearers and will conduct masonic services.

Kennon Asks Aid For Pusan, Korea

BATON ROUGE, La., Dec. 19—UP—Gov. Robert F. Kennon Saturday urged Louisianians to heed the urgent request of Gen. James A. Van Fleet for aid to fire-stricke Pusan, Korea.

Gen. Van Fleet, chairman of the American-Korean Foundation, notified the governor that a nationwide drive for funds will begin Monday for the people of Pusan, which was virtually destroyed by fire last month.

Gen. Van Fleet said the Eighth Army commander in Korea, Gen. Maxwell Taylor, had cabled an appeal for urgent assistance to speed up rehabilitation in the stricken city.

The first mercy ship will leave San Francisco with four million pounds of supplies Jan. 15.

"Whether or not you have contributed before, your help is needed for this and additional mercy ships," the governor said. "Your gift, large or small, will be rendered to the neediest cases in Korea and will reflect the true spirit of Christmas."

Gov. Kennon said funds should be sent direct to Gen. Van Fleet as chairman of the American-Korean Foundation, 345 East 46th Street, New York 17, N.Y.

Studdards Happy After 50 Years Of Married Life

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Studdard recently celebrated their 50th anniversary. They were married in Cleveland County, Ark., in December 1903.

For the past 30 years, they have resided in Ward 1, Ouachita parish, where with their son, Police Juror F. G. Studdard. They are operating a 600-acre cotton plantation. Their home is on the Riverstix plantation, and they are widely known and much respected.

The house was made beautiful with seasonal flowers and many came to be their guests and to felicitate them on the occasion of their golden wedding.

Besides their son, who with his family lives with them, they have a daughter, Mrs. Roy C. Welch, of Ruston; five grandchildren, and three great grandchildren.

Couple And Child Killed In Crash

MINCO, Okla., Dec. 19—UP—A Blessing, Tex., couple and one of their three children were killed Saturday when their car struck a stalled truck on U. S. 81 three miles south of Minco.

The other two children were badly injured.

The dead were Woodrow W. Atha, his wife, and their daughter, Jane, 5. The injured children, both taken to a Chickasha, Okla., hospital, are Michael, 11, and Stephen, 9.

Killed Exiled Bolshevist With Axe

Trotsky's Assassin Now Eligible For Parole But He Remains Mystery Man

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 19 (AP)—The killer of Leon Trotsky becomes eligible for parole tomorrow but the cloud of mystery surrounding him is as thick as the day he entered jail 13 years ago.

Officially, he is Jacques Mornard, a Belgian. But he has been partly identified under five other names, of as many different nationalities; and the current belief is that he is really Ramon del Rio Mercader of a Spanish Communist family.

Whoever he is, he killed Trotsky, the famous revolutionary exile and rival of Stalin, with a mountain climber's axe Aug. 20, 1940, in Trotsky's heavily guarded home here.

He was arrested at once, and after a three-year wait in jail he was sentenced to 19½ years for the killing and six months more for carrying a concealed weapon, the ice axe.

Under Mexican law, sentence starts from the time a prisoner is jailed, and the prisoner becomes eligible for parole on completion of two-thirds of his sentence—in this case after 13 years, four months.

Mornard has refused to talk to reporters about his plans, and he has not yet asked for release.

But he has told prison officials he will apply for parole. If he does apply his request is likely to be granted because he has had a good record in the big stone prison here.

But Mornard has worked out a nice life for himself in jail, and nobody knows what would await him outside prison walls.

Some theorists say that friends of Trotsky might like to take vengeance on him. Others suggest that if someone gave the orders for Trotsky's execution they might take an opportunity to assure that Mornard never does any talking.

Mornard himself always denied killing Trotsky on the orders of Stalin or anyone else. He said he killed the old revolutionist because he was "disillusioned" in him—although his actual plea was self defense.

Stalin is dead now. Soviet police czar Lavrenty P. Beria, who was reported to have been a protector of Caridad del Mercader, Ramon's brother, is in disgrace. Trotskyism here has been dying out since the leader died.

Is anybody interested very much in Mornard any more?

The answer may be a long time coming.

He is heavily guarded in prison. He has a private suite to himself because prison officials have always been afraid of an assassination attempt. For the suite he pays 500 pesos ($58) a month from a mysterious income.

Two strong guards accompany him on his trips from the special cell block to a little prison radio shop where he hires other prisoners to work for him. While in prison he bought books on radio and became an expert on the subject. In his little shop he repairs radios for other inmates and is even allowed to build radios and sell them to visitors.

If he is released, prison friends have reported, he hopes to start a radio repair shop in Mexico City.

A prison employe in the radio shop who quarreled with Mornard reported the assassin receives 3,000 pesos ($350) a month from the Russian Embassy, in addition to his income from the radio shop.

Mexico's prison rules allow him to have overnight visits in his quarters with his sweetheart, a Mexican girl. He has his books and his leisure.

Crippled Children's Christmas Party Held

The Ouachita Parish Crippled Children and Adult Association held its annual Christmas party Thursday night at the Missouri Pacific Booster Club with one of the largest groups ever to attend. The program was supplied by Miss Armadine Renaud and her dancing classes and the Carroll High School singers.

Mrs. Louis Masur Jr., and Mrs. Meyer Glazer, co-chairmen of the party, yesterday issued a notice of thanks to the many Monroe-West Monroe merchants who donated gifts and funds for the yearly affair.

The children were greeted at the door with fruit, candy and peanuts and were later served ice cream and cake.

Rev. R. L. Ross, president of the association, gave a short address of welcome, after which Rev. H. L. Johns gave the invocation. The program of dances and singing followed.

The co - chairmen also expressed thanks to Captain Dupree and the many firemen who worked hard to make the party a success. The firemen were in charge of setting up the party.

Camp Polk Boy, 4, Getting First U.S. Christmas

CAMP POLK, La., Dec. 19 (Special) — After four years of waiting and 15,000 miles of traveling, little Rudy Williams will get to celebrate his first American Christmas Friday.

The 4-year-old Austrian born boy, son of Sergeant First Class Robert Williams of the 37th infantry division band, wasn't able to come over with his father when he was transferred to the United States in 1952. His mother, whom Sgt. Williams married while in Austria, got her visa all right, but something happened and Rudy's visa didn't come. So for a year he has been living with his grandparents, waiting for his daddy to come after him.

Last week Sgt. Williams ended a 15,000 mile journey which brought Rudy to his new home at South Camp Polk Village. He traveled by train, plane, bus and any other way he could to get to Gmudin, Austria, and pick up Rudy, and the trip back was the same way. But Rudy? He loved it.

"On the flight to the States Rudy had a big time on that airplane," Sgt. Williams said. "When we got over Boston, Mass., he kept looking out the window at the lights below, and it took all I could do to persuade him to come away from the window."

Sgt. Williams was given an emergency leave as soon as he found that Rudy's visa had been cleared. The trip there and back took about 20 days.

Helga, his wife, was busy this week making up for all the time she and Rudy had been apart. The slender, black - haired Austrian mother was so glad to be with her son she hardly had eyes for anything else.

"It's the best Christmas present I could have," she kept saying in her fluent English. "To be away from him last Christmas was bad, and now to have him with us . . . I just can't say how happy I am."

Christmas this year will be a novelty for Rudy. He was old enough last year to understand what it was all about, but this year he'll have to learn about it all over again. It just doesn't work the same way here that it does in Austria.

Mrs. Williams explained it: "In Austria, Rudy believed that on Christmas eve Santa Claus comes and leaves a tree, all decorated, with presents under it. Here, of course, we put up the tree before Christmas. So Rudy doesn't understand."

Rudy doesn't speak English, of course, but he doesn't have too much trouble understanding the children he plays with. "He speaks Austrian and they answer him in English," Mrs. Williams said. "It is strange, but they seem to know just what the other means."

Sgt. Williams said he wouldn't try to teach Rudy English. "It wouldn't be fair to him to force him to make an effort to learn a new language. He will pick it up naturally, through playing with other children and by hearing Helga and me talk. That way he won't get confused about languages."

But as far as Rudy is concerned you can say Christmas in any language. It's all the same to him, because now he's with his parents.

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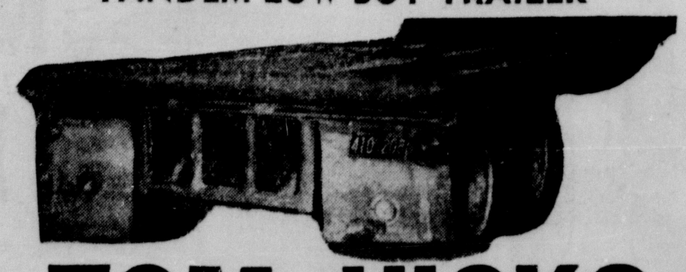

TOM HICKS

'Big Top' On TV Employs No Tricks

SANTA AND HIS AIDES — Capt. Tom Dupree, Santa Claus and Rev. R. L. Ross, president of the Society, stand in front of the large Christmas tree. After the distribution of gifts, ice cream and cake was served.

By WAYNE OLIVER

NEW YORK (AP)—Television, like the movies, has many trick devices and illusions to give added effect to its productions but Big Top on CBS-TV doesn't use or need them.

Big Top is an authentic, full-fledged circus featuring top stars of this country and Europe performing exactly as they would under canvas or in Madison Square Garden.

There's only one ring, since that's all you could see at one time on your TV screen anyway, but the ring is the center of the Big Pennsylvania National Guard Armory in Philadelphia. The show has a space as big as several ordinary video studios.

There are no safety nets for the aerialists and if they look high up it's because they are. It's 100 feet from floor to top of the armory.

Charles Vanda, who conceived the show and produces it, explains how Big Top is able to bring over European performers who might find the substantial Big Top fee insufficient if that were all.

"We have a deal where we can sign them for 20 weeks' work altogether," says the short, dynamic veteran of broadcasting.

They are booked not only for Big Top, but also for regular circuses, state fairs, the Steel Pier in Atlantic City and other places using circus acts.

"I'm going to Europe in April to sign up new acts," says Vanda, vice president of Station WCAU in charge of television.

Leo Grund, who does much of the booking, also goes to Europe regularly to scout for talent.

Running a TV circus, explains Vanda, is a great deal like staging one under canvas. For the one-hour Saturday TV performance about 475 people are needed, including talent, technicians and production staff.

Aside from the guest performers who are different each week, Big Top also has its crews of regulars. They include Jack Sterling, ringmaster; Joe Basile and his band; Bob Russell, barker; Dan Lurie, strong man; Jim Grohman, announcer; Lynn Maxey, drum majorette, and three clowns—Bill (Shorty) Hart, Ted Devlet and one known only as Jingles.

Sterling, on radio weekdays in New York, rides to Philadelphia each Saturday for the ringmaster stint, which he calls a labor of love, although he gets duly paid.

"When I was a kid I thought the guy in the top hat out in the ring was the most glamorous person in the circus," says the husky, moustached Sterling, who also is on the CBS radio network five mornings a week in Make Up Your Mind and on station WCBS six mornings a week.

Among the scores of Christmas programs on the air in the coming week will be a full hour-long extra production of Big Top on Christmas Day.

The Christmas theme will run through most of the programs right through Christmas Day on both radio and television.

The NBC-TV lineup includes a pontifical midnight mass in St. Patrick's Cathedral in New York, the yule opera "Amahl and the Night Visitors" tomorrow and a variety program "Season's Greetings" in the Milton Berle time Tuesday.

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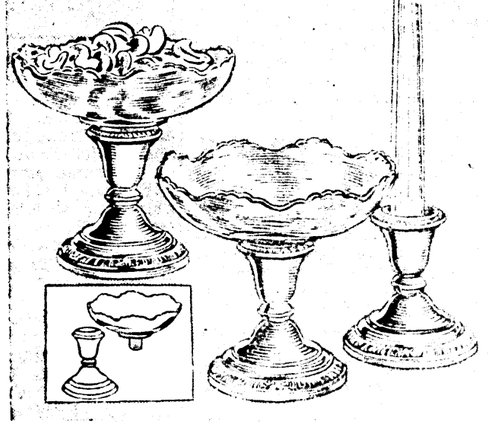

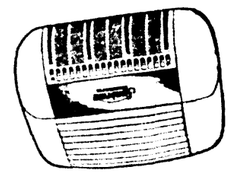

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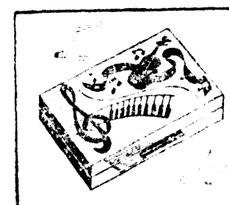

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SANTA AND HIS AIDES — Capt. Tom Dupree, Santa Claus and Rev. R. L. Ross, president of the Society, stand in front of the large Christmas tree. After the distribution of gifts, ice cream and cake was served.

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NEW YORK (AP)—Television, like the movies, has many trick devices and illusions to give added effect to its productions but Big Top on CBS-TV doesn't use or need them.

Big Top is an authentic, full-fledged circus featuring top stars of this country and Europe performing exactly as they would under canvas or in Madison Square Garden.

There's only one ring, since that's all you could see at one time on your TV screen anyway, but the ring is the center of the Big Pennsylvania National Guard Armory in Philadelphia. The show has a space as big as several ordinary video studios.

There are no safety nets for the aerialists and if they look high up it's because they are. It's 100 feet from floor to top of the armory.

Charles Vanda, who conceived the show and produces it, explains how Big Top is able to bring over European performers who might find the substantial Big Top fee insufficient if that were all.

"We have a deal where we can sign them for 20 weeks' work altogether," says the short, dynamic veteran of broadcasting.

They are booked not only for Big Top, but also for regular circuses, state fairs, the Steel Pier in Atlantic City and other places using circus acts.

"I'm going to Europe in April to sign up new acts," says Vanda, vice president of Station WCAU in charge of television.

Leo Grund, who does much of the booking, also goes to Europe regularly to scout for talent.

Running a TV circus, explains Vanda, is a great deal like staging one under canvas. For the one-hour Saturday TV performance about 475 people are needed, including talent, technicians and production staff.

Aside from the guest performers who are different each week, Big Top also has its crews of regulars. They include Jack Sterling, ringmaster; Joe Basile and his band; Bob Russell, barker; Dan Lurie, strong man; Jim Grohman, announcer; Lynn Maxey, drum majorette, and three clowns—Bill (Shorty) Hart, Ted Devlet and one known only as Jingles.

Sterling, on radio weekdays in New York, rides to Philadelphia each Saturday for the ringmaster stint, which he calls a labor of love, although he gets duly paid.

"When I was a kid I thought the guy in the top hat out in the ring was the most glamorous person in the circus," says the husky, moustached Sterling, who also is on the CBS radio network five mornings a week in Make Up Your Mind and on station WCBS six mornings a week.

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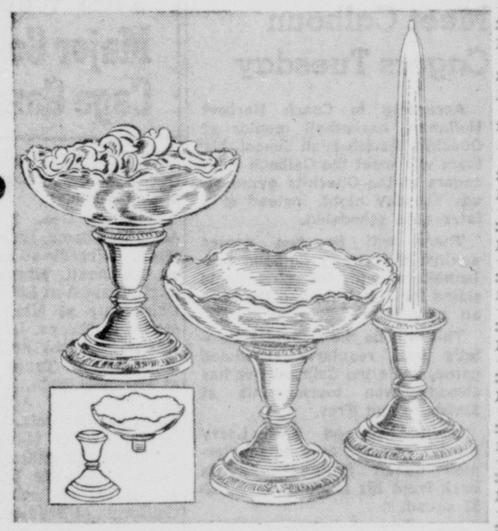

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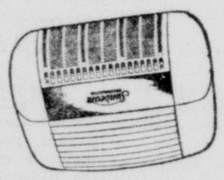

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He must produce his best.
His working hours are not ours,
For his are at the game.
And through the while we celebrate —
The outcome we acclaim;
In football, baseball, basketball,
In golf, or on the track.
He strives to tell the story with
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He pounds the keys from A to Z,
To etch the picture true,
With here and there a sideline glance
At records old and new.
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With passes at the gate,
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Or ever work more late.

Frenchie's Revenge

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"C'mon Johnny! — Attaboy Wallace! — Nice going, Alley Oop!— Let's go now, gang!" Etc. And when Kermit gets excited, grab something and hang on.

When the Pelicans built up a fat lead, what a change in the principal's first - quarter attitude! He now becomes so affable and voluble he almost talks your ear off, telling you this and that, records, players, experience — everything. It's all "jake" now.

When loyal, ardent school football rooters are named, Kermit Youngblood will head the list.

Jay Broussard, St. Matthew's High School grid coach, is another. Meet Jay on the street or at some game other than his own, and he is the most genial, talkative man in town. (Even sported a trick bow tie upon one occasion.) But talk to Jay before or during one of his Fighting Irish football games. If you can get more than one syllable in reply, you're lucky. He's thinking of only one thing then—his boys and the game.

Jay hasn't had a very good record with his teams at St. Matthew's, but it's certainly not his fault. No coach could work harder with his boys, on or off the field, or do more with his material than Jay Broussard.

Ouachita Teams Meet Calhoun Cagers Tuesday

According to Coach Herbert Holliman, basketball mentor at Ouachita Parish High School, his team will meet the Calhoun High cagers at the Ouachita gymnasium Tuesday night, instead of a later date scheduled.

There will be two games against the strong Calhoun basketballers, with the girls game slated for 7 o'clock, and the boys an hour later.

This will be the Ouachita quintet's first regularly scheduled game, while the Calhoun five has already won tournaments at Simsboro and Eros.

Doyle Holstead and Larry Barnes are the only two lettermen Coach Holliman reports back from his championship '52-53 squad.

Marion, Bernice Cop Farmerville Cage Tournament

FARMERVILLE, La., Dec. 19. (Special)—The Marion High School boys team and the Bernice High girls won the Farmerville basketball tournament here tonight. The Marion five edged Calhoun, 51-50 in the finals; and the Bernice girls beat the Linville sextette, 34-26.

Ardis Phillips, with 21 points and a deciding free throw in the final moments, led the Marion cagers; while Joe White, of Calhoun, was game's top scorer with 28 markers.

Truby Green, of Bernice was high scorer for her team in the girls' final; and Gloria Love scored 18 of Linville's 26.

In the first boys semi-final, Calhoun downed Simsboro, 51-44, with White racking up 27 for the winners, and Ben Alexandria 20 for Simsboro. Marion defeated Spearsville, 46-28, in their semi-final tilt, with Phillips scoring 15, and Fred Futch 12 for the losers.

Simsboro won the boys consolation from Spearsville, by a 62-50 margin. Alexandria led the winners' attack with 31 points, and Futch paced the losers, with 16.

Linville beat Spearsville, 30-27, in the first girls semi-final. Miss Love led her team with 14, while Patsy Ogden got 21 of her team's 27. In the other semi, Bernice downed Calhoun, 39-31, with Miss Green scoring 24, for Bernice, and Barbara Coon 14 for Calhoun.

Calhoun won the girls consolation from Spearsville, 30-21. Miss Coon chalked up 21 for the winners, and Claudette Boatright had nine for the losers.

First, second, and third place trophies were awarded in each division.

BASILIO-LANGLOIS DRAW

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Dec. 19 (AP)—Wiry Carmen Basilio and France's tough Pierre Langlois gave the fans a ringful of action tonight in battling to a 10-round draw before a near sell-out crowd. Basilio weighed 148. Langlois weighed 153½.

This Week's Major College Cage Games

NEW YORK, Dec. 19 (AP)—Next week's major college basketball games include:

Monday, Dec. 21 — Oklahoma A&M at Illinois. Indiana at Oregon State. Colorado at Iowa. Michigan at Cincinnati. Minnesota at Tulsa Northwestern at Louisiana State. Ohio State at Miami (Fla). Wisconsin at Tulane. Utah at Arizona. Hardin-Simmons at Regis. College of Pacific at Texas Tech. Baylor at Memphis State. Rice at Vanderbilt. Oklahoma A&M at Illinois. Tulsa at Minnesota. Hawaii at California. Loyola (Chi) at Western Michigan. Kentucky invitational tourney (La Salle, UCLA, Kentucky and Duke) at Lexington. Southern California at Bradley.

Tuesday, Dec. 22 — Indiana at Oregon State. Pitt at Michigan State. Santa Clara vs. St. John's and Utah State vs. NYU doubleheader at New York (Garden). College of Pacific at Texas Western. Washington at Arkansas. Southern Methodist at Oklahoma City. Peoria Cats at North Carolina State. San Francisco at Brigham Young. Iowa State at Drake. Kentucky invitation continued.

Wednesday, Dec. 23 —Marquette at Minnesota. Iona at Queens. Howard Payne at Texas Christian. Rio Grande at North Carolina State. Notre Dame at Bradley. Toledo at Dayton. Southern California at Oklahoma A & M. Furman at Citadel. Cornell at Colgate.

Saturday, Dec. 26—Loyola (Chi) at Michigan. Minnesota at Xavier (O.), Holiday tournament (Brigham Young vs. Manhattan, Niagara vs. St. John's. St. Louis vs. La Salle, Duquesne vs. NYU) at New York (Garden). Temple State at Dayton. Arizona at Bradley. Canisius vs. Columbia and St. Bonaventure vs. Detroit doubleheader at Buffalo, N. Y. Temple vs. Santa Clara and St. Joseph's (Pa.) vs. Utah State doubleheader at Philadelphia. Penn at North Carolina State. Oregon State at Ohio State. College of Pacific at California. Idaho at Montana. Big Seven tournament (Oklahoma, Kansas, Kansas State, Missouri, Coloradio, Nebraska, Iowa State and University of Washington) at Kansas City. Hofstra tournament (American U vs. Holstra, Lafayette vs. Cortland).

Syracuse Easy Victor Over Yale

SYRACUSE, Dec. 19. (AP)—Syracuse overcame first period deficit to romp to an easy victory over Yale's basketball team today 81-67.

The Eli's zone defense caused the Orangemen some concern early in the game but Capt. Mel Besdin began to find the range with set shots, and the New Yorkers had little further difficulty.

Besdin was high scorer for the contest with 26 points. Ronnie Kilpatrick, top rebounder for Syracuse, scored 17 points before he fouled out. Top scorer for the Eli's was Ellsworth Morgan with 15.

Fleming Still Leads Twin City Meet

St. Andrews' Ace Has Sub-Par 136 To Lead 2nd Day

Pete Fleming, Friday's leader in the Twin City Open Golf Tournament at McGuire Park with a sizzling 68, continued to shoot sub-par golf yesterday, and scored another exceptional 68, to hold the lead at the two-thirds mark with 136.

The St. Andrews, Ill. pro shot four birdies Friday and four more yesterday, with all the balance pars. for his remarkable tally.

Buster Cupit, the home pro, from Dregtton, Tex. shot a 69 yesterday to go with his 75 of Friday, and earned himself a second-place tie with Labron Harris, Oklahoma A and M golf mentor, with 144's apiece. Harris had a 70 Friday and a 74 yesterday.

Tied for fourth spot were Marty Furgo, with a 145; and L. B. Dukes. Furgol shot a 73 Friday and bettered it by one yesterday. Dukes had a 71 Friday but dropped to a 74 Saturday.

The final round is scheduled for today.

The leaders:

Pete Fleming—68-68—136
Buster Cupit—75-69—144
Labron Harris—70-74—144
Marty Furgol—73-72—145
L. B. Dukes—71-74—145
Lionel Hebert—73-73—146
Bob Crow—71-75—146
Eddie Merrins—76-71—147
Tommy Bolt—74-75—149
Mike DeMassey—76-73—149
Jay Herbert—75-74—149
Len warren—73-74—149
Doug Higgins—77-73—150
Bob Inman—75-75—150

The balance of the field and their two-day scores and totals are: John Finlay, 72-79—151; Johnny Myers, 75-78—153; Ford Ames, 80-73—153; Hogan Roundtree, 77-76—153; Jim Coleman, 77-76—153; Palmer Lawrence, 78-76—154; Bill Dill, 78-76—154; Mike Barbato, 76-78—154; Henry Castillo, 74-81—155; Shirley Peard, 78-78—156; John Lively, 75-81—156; Buddy Sprague, 81-76—157; Frank Clark, 81-76—157; Bill Jones, 79-78—157; Shep Girault, 77-80—157; J. R. Taylor, 73-84—157; John Andron, 77-81—157; Raymond Southerland, 80-78—158; Harold Williams, 79-79—158; Milo Mattinson, 81-78—159; Jackie Doss, 80-82—162; Dick Chassee, 80-82—162; Rex Baxter, 80-85—165; Hilton Heard, 83-83—166; E. E. Lawson, 80-86—166; Kenneth Holt, 84-83—167; Al Gallagher, 83-85—168; Eddie Lingert, 82-86—168; Bobby Ledbetter, 87-81—168; Clyde Nash, 87-82—169; Major Bearse, 85-84—169; Jay Miller, 85-85—170; Jimmy Green, 83-88—171; Loy Heard, 85-89—174; Bones Parker, 90-88—178; Bill Russell, 90-89—179.

Swift Sword Ist In Tropical Park $5000 Allowance

MIAMI, Fla., Dec. 19. (AP)—Swift Sword, a 2-year-old bay colt who doesn't seem to mind a few extra pounds, and jockey Sammy Boulmetis teamed up again today in the $5,000 Coral Gables Purse at Tropical Park and won their third straight race of the meet.

Despite his top weight of 128 pounds, the Putnam Stable colt finished four lengths ahead of Christiana Stable's Menemsha. The 3 to 5 favorite paid his backers $3.40, $2.70 and $2.50. He covered the six furlongs in 1:11 2-5, two seconds off the track record.

The feature race was marred when Royal Battle fell approaching the halfway marker and gave jockey Dallas Harrier a bad spill. Harrier, from Aransas Pass, Tex., was hospitalized with possible internal injuries. He was placed in an oxygen tent and given a blood transfusion for shock. Doctors had not determined the extent of his injuries.

Menemsha took second place by two lengths and Hat Box was third by three - quarters. Menemsha, a 12 to 1 shot ridden by Willie Lester, paid $7.70, and $4.80. Hat Box, with Norman Mercier up, paid $3.90.

Swift Sword, carrying 14 pounds more than the next heaviest weighted entry, moved into the front at the one - quarter mark and by the halfway pole had taken a three-length lead over Menemsha. Going into the stretch he opened up five - length margin and finished four lengths out front.

Boulmetis and Swift Sword teamed up twice before at Tropical this season and have proved to be a winning combination. They took the DeSoto Handicap here Dec. 5 and the Gainesville Handicap Nov. 28. Today's was an allowance race. In all three victories, the son of Blenheim out of Bell Song has won by more than three lengths.

Menemsha, carrying 110 pounds, made his move at the same time Swift Sword went into the lead, but didn't have enough to overtake him. Hat Box pressed Menemsha for second until the stretch drive.

Today's attendance was 9,810 and the pari mutuel handle of $802,968 was the highest of the season. Total attendance for the season reached 157,367 compared with 173,620 for the like period last year. Wagering is running almost one one and a half million dollars behind last season — $11,571,461 compared with $12,901,572.

Less Passing, Closer Games Under 1-Platoon

NEW YORK,Dec. 19. (AP)—There was less passing, closer games and more effective running under the limited substitution or one platoon rule in college football this year.

At least that's the way it looked to the figger filberts of the N. C. A. A.'s Service Bureau who pored over the statistics of 1,154 games involving major college football teams in 1953.

The statisticians also said kicking efficiency was down, both for punting and place-kicking, and that the actual playing time of a game was about 10 per cent less.

Regarding the playing time, the Service Bureau said the loss occurred because there no longer was an automatic time out for the changing of platoons when the ball changed hands.

In 1952, each team on the average attempted 18.4 passes a game and completed 8.1. This year is tried 15.2 and completed 6.5. Those are decreases of 17.2 per cent and 19.8.

But this year, each passing attempt averaged 6.93 yards to 6.09 last year, an insignificant one per cent decrease. Since running plays gained 7.4 per cent more vardage this season, the total offense, per play, was up 3 per cent.

In kicking, average distance of punts fell from 36.4 yards to 34.9, and extra - point kicking accuracy fell from 74.4 per cent of all attempts to 65.

In scoring, although the total of points was less in the shorter game, it took fewer plays and less yardage gained to produce a touchdown.

The outstanding feature of the 1953 season on a sectional basis was the dominance of the midwest. It was second to the southwest in scoring, but first in total offense, first in ground attack, third in passing, second in punting and even first in extra - point accuracy. Games involving midwestern teams produced on the average, for both sides, 35.6 points and 567.7 yards gained, 381.1 yards on the ground. 186.5 through the air. Midwestern teams averaged 35.4 yards a punt (to 35.7 for the Rocky Mountain area) and made 68.8 per cent of their extra points.

Large Crowd Of Notables At Ed Barrow's Funeral

NEW YORK, Dec. 19 (AP)—Funeral services attended by a number of baseball notables were held today for Edward G. Barrow, former New York Yankees general manager credited with building the team's championship empire.

Barrow, a member of baseball's "Hall of Fame," died in a Port Chester, N. Y., hospital Tuesday at the age of 85 after a long illness.

Baseball commissioner Ford Frick led a procession of 50 honorary pallbearers that included baseball executives, baseball stars and sports writers.

Three hundred and fifty persons attended the services in St. Thomas Protestant Episcopal Church on Fifth ave. and another 200 were gathered outside.

The honorary pallbearers included Will Harridge, president of the American League, and Fred Fleig, representing Warren C. Giles, National League president who was unable to attend because of the death of an aunt.

Dan Topping, Yankee president, and George Weiss, general manager, led the team's delegation among the honorary pallbearers.

In this group were Joe McCarthy former manager; Joe DiMaggio, Vernon (Lefty) Gomez, Johnny Murphy, Charlie Keller, Buddy Hassett, George Stirnweiss, Tommy Henrich and Robert (Red) Rolfe, all former players; Phil Rizzuto, of the present world championship team; and Paul Krichell and Bill Skiff, Yankee scouts.

Baseball executives among the honorary bearers included Horace Stoneham, president of the New York Giants; James Mulvey, former prsident of the Brooklyn Dodgers; E. J. (Buzzy) Bavasi, vice-president of the Dodgers; Joe Cronin, general manager of the Boston Red Sox; Frank Shaughnessy, president of the International League; and Bill Grieve, an American League umpire.

The honorary bearers also included James A. Farley, former Postmaster General.

Barrow's widow, Frances; two grandchildren, John and Patricia Campbell, and a great-granddaughter, Audrey Campbell, also attended.

The Rev. Dr. Roelif H. Brooks, rector, conducted the services. He was assisted by the Rev. Dr. Wendell W. Phillips of Rye, N. Y., where Barrow made his home.

Lucy Monroe, noted for her singing of the National Anthem at sports events, sang "Abide With Me."

Burial was in Kensico Cemetery, Westchester County, N. Y.

IN SECOND PLACE

BOSTON, Dec. 19. (AP)—The Syracuse Nationals took over second place from Boston in the eastern division of the National Basketball Association's eastern division today with a 90-83 victory over the Celtics in the NBA's "TV game of the week" at Boston Garden.

Tulane In 70-68 Last Period Win Over Wildcat 5

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 19 (AP) — Tulane came from behind in the last five minutes to squeeze by Northwestern 70-68 in an intersectional basketball game tonight.

Tulane held a 40-32 halftime lead but fell behind by four points at the start of the final quarter. Paced by guard Hal Cervini, the Southeastern Conference team fought back to regain the lead and hold it the rest of the way.

Unable to solve the tight defense of the Big Ten team throughout the game, Tulane was forced to score most of its points on long shots.

Forward Frank Ehmann of Northwestern was top scorer with 24 points on eight field goals and eight free throws. Cervini and sophomore guard Bobby Delpit were the best for Tulane, each with 15 points.

Post-Season Bowl Games; Records; Starting Times

NEW YORK, Dec. 19 (AP)—The lineup of post-season football games with won-lost-tied records, starting times and some crowd and radio and television data:

December 25—

At Miami, Fla., North vs. South All-Star college game, 8:15 p.m., EST, 50,000, no broadcasts, no telecasts.

December 26—

At Montgomery, Ala., Blue vs. Gray All-Star college game, 2:30 p.m., EST, MBS radio.

January 1—

Rose Bowl, at Pasadena, Calif., Michigan State (8-1) vs. UCLA (8-1), 2 p.m., EST, 69,839, CBS radio and television.

Sugar Bowl, New Orleans, Georgia Tech (8-2-1) vs. West Virginia (8-1), 2 p.m., EST, 82,000 ABC radio and television.

Orange Bowl, at Miami, Fla., Maryland 10-0) vs. Oklahoma (8-1-1), 2 p.m., EST, 69,839, CBS radio and television.

Cotton Bowl, Dallas, Tex., Rice (8-2 vs Alabama, (6-2-3), 2 p.m., EST, 75,504, NBC radio and television.

Gator Bowl, Jacksonville, Fla., Auburn (7-2-1) vs. Texas Tech (10-1) 2 p.m., EST, 30,000 MBS radio.

Sun Bowl, El Paso, Tex., Mississippi Southern (9-1) vs. Texas Western (7-2), 4 p.m., EST, no television, possible broadcast.

Cigar Bowl, Tampa, Fla., La-Crosse (Wis.) State (9-0), vs. Missouri Valley (8-1), 2:30 p.m., EST, 10,000, local radio broadcast.

Salad Bowl, Phoenix, Ariz., Great Lakes Navy (7-2) vs. Fort Ord (11-0), 3 p.m., EST, local radio broadcast.

Tangerine Bowl, Orlando, Fla., Arkansas State (7-0-1) vs. East Texas State (10-0), 8 p.m., EST, 13,500, no radio or television.

January 2—

Shrine Game, San Francisco, East vs. West College All-Stars 2 p.m., EST, 62,000, Dumont Television, MBS radio.

Elks Bowl, Greenville, S. C., Morris Harvey (5-4-1) vs. East Carolina College (8-1), 2 p.m., EST, no radio or television.

January 9—

Senior Bowl, Mobile, Ala., All-Star College players, 2.45 p.m., EST, CBS radio.

Dr. Moore Captures Pontchartrain Race

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 19 (AP)—A. K. Anderson's Dr. Moore turned on the speed in the stretch today to win the six-furlong $5,000 Pontchartrain handicap at the Fair Grounds.

Dr. Moore broke last in the Field of nine, moved up to sixth at the last turn, then came on fast to cross the finish line a half length ahead of W. H. Bishop's Just Us Girls. Dr. Moore's time was 1:12 2/5.

Dr. Moore paid $41.80, $13.49 and $5.60. Just Us Girls returned $4 and 3, and Jet Ace paid $14.80 to show.

Betting for the day by 12,000 fans totaled $462,877.

Basketball Scores

Wisconsin 82, LSU 66
Tulane 70, Northwestern 68.
East Texas Baptist 71, Louisiana College 62
SMU 97, Abilene Christian 72
Georgia Tchrs. 108, Rollins 88
Syracuse 81, Yale 67
Minnesota 74, Colorado 46
Illinois 79, DePaul 65
Mississippi Southern 85, Nebraska Wesleyan 53
Southwestern (Kan.) 79, Bethany 66
Syracuse 90, Boston 83 (NBA)
Texas 62, Manhattan 56
Western Kentucky 82, St. Bonaventure 76
Rice 78, Tennessee 6
Mississippi 87, Georgia 73
Duke 67, West Virginia 64
Western Michigan 85, Bowling Green (O.) 78
Michigan State 81, Southern California 63
Minneapolis 91, Rochester 78 (NBA)
Vermont 95, American Intl. 79
Connecticut 85, St. Josephs 77
Vanderbilt 65, Baylor 60
New York 65, Baltimore 63 (NBA)
Arkansas State 79, Southwestern (Memphis) 59
Wagner 68, Upsala 54
Fordham 51, Columbia 24
Duquesne 60, Toledo 57
Butler 81, Michigan 77
Rennselaer 80, Brooklyn Poly 78
Spring Hill (Ala.) 69, Florida State 60
High Point College 94, Amphibious Force, Little Creek, Va. 86
Brooklyn College 78, Hunter 66
Wake Forest 87, Washington & Lee 46
Peoria Caterpillars 101, Furman 66
North Carolina State 89, Penn State 74
North Carolina 85, Clemson 48
Washington & Jefferson 73, Westminister (Pa.) 5
Rio Grande 98 Miami (Fla.) 88
Dayton 78, Baldwin-Wallace 48
Illinois Wesleyan 70, Hamline 65 (NAIA-3rd place)
Minnesota 74, Colorado 46.
Holy Cross 78, NYU 66.
Houston 71, Detroit 63.
Arkansas 64, Missouri 63.
Seton Hall 86, St. Francis (Bkn.) 65.
Purdue 80, Washington (St. Louis) 72.
Villanova 61, Canisius 57.

Illinois Worried Over Caroline's Gift Acceptance

CHICAGO, Dec. 19 (AP)—The University of Illinois has taken precaution that its sophomore halfback star, J. C. Caroline, will not lose his football eligibility through acceptance of gifts at his home town welcome today.

Caroline, record - breaking big ten ball carrier and regarded the most sensational sophomore in the conference since Red Grange, was to return to his home in Columbia, S. C., today.

The city planned a huge celebration for him, including presentation of some gifts.

One report said the gifts will amount to $500 in value.

Ray Eliot, Illini coach, a week ago sent letters to the Columbia mayor and to Caroline's high school coach informing them just what could be given to J. C. and still stay within bounds of a Big Ten rule relating to professionalism.

"We told the mayor and high school coach that Caroline could accept such things as a wrist watch with his name on it or monogrammed luggage," Church Flynn, Illini sports publicity director, said today.

"We conferred with K. L. (Tug) Wilson (Big Ten commissioner) as soon as we found out about the planned celebration. Caroline can accept anything that cannot be resold for cash."

Bill Reed, assistant commissioner, said the Big Ten rule on such matters states that an athlete can "accept things of a personal nature."

"There is no monetary value placed on personal gifts," said Reed.

"Certainly, the townspeople of Columbia would do nothing to jeopardize Caroline's amateur standing," said Flynn. "The Big Ten rule is rather ambiguous and we wanted to use all precaution."

Local Manager Invites People Here To Get $100 For Holiday Expenses

J. E. WOOD

A special "Holiday Money" Plan is now being offered by the local office of Aetna Finance Co. Worthy families and individuals can get $100 at once on name only.

"Everyone here and in nearby towns is invited," said the Aetna manager, "Good credit is all you need." Larger amounts up to $1000 also available. Just stop in or phone ahead for faster service or if you wish to come in after work or in the evening.

The Aetna office is located at 204 North Second, Phone 2-4634.—Adv.

Brodnax, Hinton Make All-Southern Honorary

ORLANDO; Fla., Dec. 19 (AP) — Thirty-one backs and 29 linemen comprised the 60 players named today to positions on the 34th annual All-Southern football squad, Dixie's top interscholastic gridiron honor.

The 60-man All-Southern squad and 72 honorable mention players were drawn from a 12-state area, five players from each state. A panel of 132 coaches and sports-writers participated, with 10 scouts assisting each state chairman.

The squad was announced by Bob Howard, sports editor of the sponsoring Orlando Sentinel-Star and general chairman of the All-Southern selection board.

Breaking it down further, there were 11 tackles, nine guards, seven ends and two centers.

State chairmen included:

Louisiana — Harry Martinez, sports editor, New Orleans States.

Mississippi—Carl Walters, sports editor, Jackson Daily News.

Arkansas — Maurice Moore, sports editor, New Era, Hot Springs.

Texas—Putt Powell, sports editor, Globe News, Amarillo.

Louisiana—John Crowe, 190, fullback, Springhill; Gene Newton, 185, quarterback, Byrd of Shreveport; Dominick Lansas, 168, halfback, Jesuit of New Orleans; Bobby Marks, 185, end, Warren Easton of New Orleans; Jim Taylor, 185, halfback, Baton Rouge.

Honorable mention—John Kidd, Tackle, Byrd of Shreveport; Al Ecuyer, guard, Jesuit of New Orleans; Jerry Lewis, quarterback, Lake Charles; Paul Stephens, center, Istrouma; J. W. Brodnax, fullback, Bastrop; Tommy Hinton, tackle, Ruston.

33 Each Browns, Rams Declared OK For Pro Playoffs

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 19. (AP)—Thirty - three players from each team have been declared eligible to participate in the National Football League championship game between the Detroit Lions and Cleveland Browns Dec. 27 at Detroit.

N. F. L. Commissioner Bert Bell announced the game will start at 1 p.m. (EST).

The eligible players are:

Cleveland — Atkins, Brewster, Carpenter, Catlin, Colo, Donaldson, Ford, Gatski, Gibron, Gillom, Gorgal, Graham, Groza, Helluin, Houston, Howard, Jagade, James, Jones, Konz, Lahr, Lavelli, Michaels, Motely, Noll, Palmer, Ratterman, Renfro, Reynolds, Sandusky, Steinbrunner, Willis and Young.

Detroit — Ane, Banonis, Bingaman, Box, Cain, Carpenter, Christiansen, Clina, Creekmur, David, Dibble, Doran, Dublinski, Gandee, Gedman, Girard, Hart, Hoernschemeyer, Karilivacz, Lary, Layne, McGraw, Martin, Miller, Prchlik, Schmidt, Sewell, J. Smith, R. Smith, Spencer, Stanfel, Torgeson and Walker.

Miss. Southern Nips Nebraska Wesleyan

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 19. (AP)—Mississippi Southern used its speed and height to advantage in defeating Nebraska Wesleyan 85-53 in a basketball game today.

About 1,500 high school players turned out for the game which was billed as a clinic of the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics. The N. A. I. A., however, said the contest was not part of its December tournament, which ends tonight.

Nick Revon set the scoring pace for Mississippi Southern with 29 points.

Wisconsin Cagers Hand Tigers Fir... Defeat, 82-66

BATON ROUGE, Dec. 19 (AP) — Wisconsin combined accura... shooting with a tight inside defe... tonight to defeat Louisiana S... University 82-66 in a basket... game.

Wisconsin, led by forward T... Stracka, hit on 34 per cent of... field goal attempts. LSU, pres... by the Wisconsin defense, had... shoot from far out most of... game and hit on only 30 per ... of its shot.

Stracka scored 24 points ... teamed with center Paul Mor... in controlling the backboards.

LSU center Bob Pettit kept ... his scorching pace by dumping... 33 points for scoring honors.

Fifty-three personal fouls w... called, 30 against LSU and ... against Wisconsin. LSU lost ... men on fouls and Wisconsin thr...

It was LSU's first loss on ... home court in three years.

WISCONSIN	G	F	P
Stracka, f	10	4	2
Cable, f	0	0	2
Morrow, c	4	4	5
Webber, g	0	2	2
Weisner, g	4	10	5
Spika, g	3	2	0
Folz, c	1	1	5
Godfrey, g	0	1	0
Daly, f	1	0	1
Mueller, f	0	0	0
Miller, g	0	2	0
Parker, c	2	0	0
Totals	26	22	22

LSU	G	F	P
Belcher, f	0	0	1
Clark, f	3	0	3
Pettit, c	12	9	3
McArdle, g	4	3	3
Magee, g	3	1	3
Loughmiller, f	0	0	0
McNeilly, f	1	2	3
Sebastian, g	0	3	3
Freshley, c	0	0	0
Zinser, g	0	1	2
Lee, f	0	1	1
Totals	23	20	20

Wisconsin	19	23	20	20
LSU	15	18	14	19

Free throws missed: Wisco... —Stracka, 3, Cable 3, Morr... Godfrey, Spika, Miller 2, Folz... —Pettit 5, McArdle 3, McNe... Sebastian 3, Zinser 2, Lee.

Ex-Grid Coach At East Texas Killed in Blaze

JOHNSON CITY, Tenn., Dec... (AP)—Robert H. Berry, former ... football coach at East Texas ... Teachers College, Commerce, T... was killed and his wife and ... children injured when fire s... their house here today.

Mrs. Berry and Robert, Jr., ... were reported in critical condi... at Memorial Hospital here. T... are suffering from burns and ... in making their way through ... blazing home to a second floor ... dow where they jumped to saf...

ATTENTION HUNTERS!
Don't go home empty handed
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We have plenty of partridge, wild turkeys, pheasants an... quail for you to take home.

Paul Martin Looks 'Em Over

By TED HECKATHORN

Sports Letter-Earner Last Night

Last Day In Saddle

Paul Martin returns from his two-week vacation Monday. Outside of a trip to New Orleans for a couple of days for the A. P. all-star football selections, and one frantic telephone call from me, he hasn't had his rest disturbed.

No one is happier than I that he's back tomorrow. Readers who have suffered for the past two weeks may sit back and enjoy their reading relaxation for the next 50 weeks, and also read this column once again as it should be — in the third person, not the first.

Night Shift

Appearing not too long ago in James J. Metcalfe's daily bit of verse entitled "Portraits," which runs daily in the Morning World, were these very true (I've learned) words, entitled "Sportswriter."

He plays when we are working, or. . .
At least he takes his rest
. . . But when we play by night or day . . .
He must produce his best.
His working hours are not ours,
For his are at the game.
And through the while we celebrate —
The outcome we acclaim;
In football, baseball, basketball,
In golf, or on the track.
He strives to tell the story with
His special skill and knack.
He pounds the keys from A to Z,
To etch the picture true,
With here and there a sideline glance
At records old and new.
He seems to have a pleasant job,
With passes at the gate,
But few have any tougher job,
Or ever work more late.

Frenchie's Revenge

Westlake 32, Rayville 0

Kermit Youngblood

A person could go to an L. T. I. football game blindfolded, stand beside Kermit Youngblood, the genial, bass - voiced Institute principal, all through the tussle, and know exactly how it started, proceeded and ended.

For "Coach," as most of the boys call him (from his ex-mentor days) is as tense and quiet at the start of a game as a father five minutes before he begins passing out cigars. If the other team gets an early lead, it's impossible to get much of a reply to any query — even when it's repeated several times. When the L. T. I. boys come close to tying it up or going ahead for the first time, the one-man rooting section named Kermit Youngblood can be heard all over the field.

"C'mon Johnny! — Attaboy Wallace! — Nice going, Alley Oop!— Let's go now, gang!" Etc. And when Kermit gets excited, grab something and hang on.

When the Pelicans built up a fat lead, what a change in the principal's first - quarter attitude! He now becomes so affable and voluble he almost talks your ear off, telling you this and that, records, players, experience — everything. It's all "jake" now.

When loyal, ardent school football rooters are named, Kermit Youngblood will head the list.

Jay Broussard, St. Matthew's High School grid coach, is another. Meet Jay on the street or at some game other than his own, and he is the most genial, talkative man in town. (Even sported a trick bow tie upon one occasion.) But talk to Jay before or during one of his Fighting Irish football games. If you can get more than one syllable in reply, you're lucky. He's thinking of only one thing then—his boys and the game.

Jay hasn't had a very good record with his teams at St. Matthew's, but it's certainly not his fault. No coach could work harder with his boys, on or off the field, or do more with his material than Jay Broussard.

Fleming Still Leads Twin City Meet

St. Andrews' Ace Has Sub-Par 136 To Lead 2nd Day

Pete Fleming, Friday's leader in the Twin City Open Golf Tournament at McGuire Park with a sizzling 68, continued to shoot sub-par golf yesterday, and scored another exceptional 68, to hold the lead at the two-thirds mark with 136.

The St. Andrews, Ill. pro shot four birdies Friday and four more yesterday, with all the balance pars. for his remarkable tally.

Buster Cupit, the home pro, from Dregiton, Tex. shot a 69 yesterday to go with his 75 of Friday, and earned himself a second-place tie with Labron Harris, Oklahoma A and M golf mentor, with 144's apiece. Harris had a 70 Friday and a 74 yesterday.

Tied for fourth spot were Marty Furgo, with a 145; and L. B. Dukes. Furgol shot a 73 Friday and bettered it by one yesterday. Dukes had a 71 Friday but dropped to a 74 Saturday.

The final round is scheduled for today.

The leaders:

Pete Fleming—68-68—136
Buster Cupit—75-69—144
Labron Harris—70-74—144
Marty Furgol—73-72—145
L. B. Dukes—71-74—145
Lionel Hebert—73-73—146
Bob Crow—71-75—146
Eddie Merrins—76-71—147
Tommy Bolt—74-75—149
Mike DeMassey—76-73—149
Jay Herbert—75-74—149
Len warren—73-74—149
Doug Higgins—77-73—150
Bob Inman—75-75—150

The balance of the field and their two-day scores and totals are: John Finlay, 72-79—151; Johnny Myers, 75-78—153; Ford Ames, 80-73—153; Hogan Roundtree, 77-76—153; Jim Coleman, 77-76—153; Palmer Lawrence, 78-76—154; Bill Dill, 78-76—154; Mike Barbato, 76-78—154; Henry Castillo, 74-81—155; Shirley Peard, 78-78—156; John Lively, 75-81—156; Buddy Sprague, 81-76—157; Frank Clark, 81-76—157; Bill Jones, 79-78—157; Shep Girault, 77-80—157; J. R. Taylor, 73-84—157; John Andron, 77-81—157; Raymond Southerland, 80-78—158; Harold Williams, 79-79—158; Milo Mattinson, 81-78—159; Jackie Doss, 80-82—162; Dick Chassee, 80-82—162; Rex Baxter, 80-85—165; Hilton Heard, 83-83—166; E. E. Lawson, 80-86—166; Kenneth Holt, 84-83—167; Al Gallagher, 83-85—168; Eddie Lingert, 82-86—168; Bobby Ledbetter, 87-81—168; Clyde Nash, 87-82—169; Major Bearse, 85-84—169; Jay Miller, 85-85—170; Jimmy Green, 83-88—171; Loy Heard, 85-89—174; Bones Parker, 90-88—178; Bill Russell, 90-89—179.

Less Passing, Closer Games Under 1-Platoon

NEW YORK, Dec. 19. (AP)—There was less passing, closer games and more effective running under the limited substitution or one platoon rule in college football this year.

At least that's the way it looked to the figger filberts of the N. C. A. A.'s Service Bureau who pored over the statistics of 1,154 games involving major college football teams in 1953.

The statisticians also said kicking efficiency was down, both for punting and place-kicking, and that the actual playing time of a game was about 10 per cent less.

Regarding the playing time, the Service Bureau said the loss occurred because there no longer was an automatic time out for the changing of platoons when the ball changed hands.

In 1952, each team on the average attempted 18.4 passes a game and completed 8.1. This year is tried 15.2 and completed 6.5. Those are decreases of 17.2 per cent and 19.8.

But this year, each passing attempt averaged 6.93 yards to 6.09 last year, an insignificant one per cent decrease. Since running plays gained 7.4 per cent more vardage this season, the total offense, per play, was up 3 per cent.

In kicking, average distance of punts fell from 36.4 yards to 34.9, and extra - point kicking accuracy fell from 74.4 per cent of all attempts to 65.

In scoring, although the total of points was less in the shorter game, it took fewer plays and less yardage gained to produce a touchdown.

The outstanding feature of the 1953 season on a sectional basis was the dominance of the midwest. It was second to the southwest in scoring, but first in total offense, first in ground attack, third in passing, second in punting and even first in extra - point accuracy. Games involving midwestern teams produced on the average, for both sides, 35.6 points and 567.7 yards gained, 381.1 yards on the ground. 186.5 through the air. Midwestern teams averaged 35.4 yards a punt (to 35.7 for the Rocky Mountain area) and made 68.8 per cent of their extra points.

Tulane In 70-68 Last Period Win Over Wildcat 5

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 19 (AP) — Tulane came from behind in the last five minutes to squeeze by Northwestern 70-68 in an intersectional basketball game tonight.

Tulane held a 40-32 halftime lead but fell behind by four points at the start of the final quarter. Paced by guard Hal Cervini, the Southeastern Conference team fought back to regain the lead and hold it the rest of the way.

Unable to solve the tight defense of the Big Ten team throughout the game, Tulane was forced to score most of its points on long shots.

Forward Frank Ehmann of Northwestern was top scorer with 24 points on eight field goals and eight free throws. Cervini and sophomore guard Bobby Delpit were the best for Tulane, each with 15 points.

Post-Season Bowl Games; Records; Starting Times

NEW YORK, Dec. 19 (AP)—The lineup of post-season football games with won-lost-tied records, starting times and some crowd and radio and television data:

December 25—

At Miami, Fla., North vs. South All-Star college game, 8:15 p.m., EST, 50,000, no broadcasts, no telecasts.

December 26—

At Montgomery, Ala., Blue vs. Gray All-Star college game, 2:30 p.m., EST, MBS radio.

January 1—

Rose Bowl, at Pasadena, Calif., Michigan State (8-1) vs. UCLA (8-1), 2 p.m., EST, 69,839, CBS radio and television.

Sugar Bowl, New Orleans, Georgia Tech (8-2-1) vs. West Virginia (8-1), 2 p.m., EST, 82,000 ABC radio and television.

Orange Bowl, at Miami, Fla., Maryland 10-0) vs. Oklahoma (8-1-1), 2 p.m., EST, 69,839, CBS radio and television.

Cotton Bowl, Dallas, Tex., Rice (8-2 vs Alabama, (6-2-3), 2 p.m., EST, 75,504, NBC radio and television.

Gator Bowl, Jacksonville, Fla., Auburn (7-2-1) vs. Texas Tech (10-1) 2 p.m., EST, 30,000 MBS radio.

Sun Bowl, El Paso, Tex., Mississippi Southern (9-1) vs. Texas Western (7-2), 4 p.m., EST, no television, possible broadcast.

Cigar Bowl, Tampa, Fla., La-Crosse (Wis.) State (9-0), vs. Missouri Valley (8-1), 2:30 p.m., EST, 10,000, local radio broadcast.

Salad Bowl, Phoenix, Ariz., Great Lakes Navy (7-2) vs. Fort Ord (11-0), 3 p.m., EST, local radio broadcast.

Tangerine Bowl, Orlando, Fla., Arkansas State (7-0-1) vs. East Texas State (10-0), 8 p.m., EST, 13,500, no radio or television.

January 2—

Shrine Game, San Francisco, East vs. West College All-Stars 2 p.m., EST, 62,000, Dumont Television, MBS radio.

Elks Bowl, Greenville, S. C., Morris Harvey (5-4-1) vs. East Carolina College (8-1), 2 p.m., EST, no radio or television.

January 9—

Senior Bowl, Mobile, Ala., All-Star College players, 2.45 p.m., EST, CBS radio.

Basketball Scores

Wisconsin 82, LSU 66
Tulane 70, Northwestern 68.
East Texas Baptist 71, Louisiana College 62
SMU 97, Abilene Christian 72
Georgia Tchrs. 108, Rollins 88
Syracuse 81, Yale 67
Minnesota 74, Colorado 46
Illinois 79, DePaul 65
Mississippi Southern 85, Nebraska Wesleyan 53
Southwestern (Kan.) 79, Bethany 66
Syracuse 90, Boston 83 (NBA)
Texas 62, Manhattan 56
Western Kentucky 82, St. Bonaventure 76
Rice 78, Tennessee 6
Mississippi 87, Georgia 73
Duke 67, West Virginia 64
Western Michigan 85, Bowling Green (O.) 78
Michigan State 81, Southern California 63
Minneapolis 91, Rochester 78 (NBA)
Vermont 95, American Intl. 79
Connecticut 85, St. Josephs 77
Vanderbilt 65, Baylor 60
New York 65, Baltimore 63 (NBA)
Arkansas State 79, Southwestern (Memphis) 59
Wagner 68, Upsala 54
Fordham 51, Columbia 24
Duquesne 60, Toledo 57
Butler 81, Michigan 77
Rennselaer 80, Brooklyn Poly 78
Spring Hill (Ala.) 69, Florida State 60
High Point College 94, Amphibious Force, Little Creek, Va. 86
Brooklyn College 78, Hunter 66
Wake Forest 87, Washington & Lee 46
Peoria Caterpillars 101, Furman 66
North Carolina State 89, Penn State 74
North Carolina 85, Clemson 48
Washington & Jefferson 73, Westminister (Pa.) 5
Rio Grande 98 Miami (Fla.) 88
Dayton 78, Baldwin-Wallace 48
Illinois Wesleyan 70, Hamline 65 (NAIA-3rd place)
Minnesota 74, Colorado 46.
Holy Cross 78, NYU 66.
Houston 71, Detroit 63.
Arkansas 64, Missouri 63.
Seton Hall 86, St. Francis (Bkn.) 65.
Purdue 80, Washington (St. Louis) 72.
Villanova 61, Canisius 57.

Brodnax, Hinton Make All-Southern Honorary

ORLANDO, Fla., Dec. 19 (AP) — Thirty-one backs and 29 linemen comprised the 60 players named today to positions on the 34th annual All-Southern football squad, Dixie's top interscholastic gridiron honor.

The 60-man All-Southern squad and 72 honorable mention players were drawn from a 12-state area, five players from each state. A panel of 132 coaches and sports-writers participated, with 10 scouts assisting each state chairman.

The squad was announced by Bob Howard, sports editor of the sponsoring Orlando Sentinel-Star and general chairman of the All-Southern selection board.

Breaking it down further, there were 11 tackles, nine guards, seven ends and two centers.

State chairmen included:

Louisiana — Harry Martinez, sports editor, New Orleans States.

Mississippi—Carl Walters, sports editor, Jackson Daily News.

Arkansas — Maurice Moore, sports editor, New Era, Hot Springs.

Texas—Putt Powell, sports editor, Globe News, Amarillo.

Louisiana—John Crowe, 190, fullback, Springhill; Gene Newton, 185, quarterback, Byrd of Shreveport; Dominick Lansas, 168, halfback, Jesuit of New Orleans; Bobby Marks, 185, end, Warren Easton of New Orleans; Jim Taylor, 185, halfback, Baton Rouge.

Honorable mention—John Kidd, Tackle, Byrd of Shreveport; Al Ecuyer, guard, Jesuit of New Orleans; Jerry Lewis, quarterback, Lake Charles; Paul Stephens, center, Istrouma; J. W. Brodnax, fullback, Bastrop; Tommy Hinton, tackle, Ruston.

Wisconsin Cagers Hand Tigers First Defeat, 82-66

BATON ROUGE, Dec. 19 (AP) — Wisconsin combined accurate shooting with a tight inside defense tonight to defeat Louisiana State University 82-66 in a basketball game.

Wisconsin, led by forward Tom Stracka, hit on 54 per cent of its field goal attempts. LSU, pressed by the Wisconsin defense, had to shoot from far out most of the game and hit on only 30 per cent of its shot.

Stracka scored 24 points and teamed with center Paul Morrow in controlling the backboards.

LSU center Bob Pettit kept up his scorching pace by dumping in 33 points for scoring honors.

Fifty-three personal fouls were called, 30 against LSU and 23 against Wisconsin. LSU lost four men on fouls and Wisconsin three.

It was LSU's first loss on its home court in three years.

WISCONSIN	G	F	P
Stracka, f	10	4	24
Cable, f	0	6	2
Morrow, c	4	4	12
Webber, g	0	2	2
Weisner, g	4	10	18
Spika, g	3	2	8
Folz, c	1	1	3
Godfrey, g	0	1	0
Daly, f	1	0	1
Mueller, f	0	0	0
Miller, g	0	2	0
Parker, c	2	0	0
Totals	25	32	82

LSU	G	F	P
Belcher, f	0	0	1
Clark, f	3	0	5
Pettit, c	12	9	33
McArdle, g	4	3	5
Magee, g	3	1	5
Loughmiller, f	0	0	0
McNeilly, f	1	2	3
Sebastian, g	0	3	5
Freshley, c	0	0	0
Zinser, g	0	1	2
Lee, f	0	1	1
Totals	23	20	66

Wisconsin	19	23	20	20—82
LSU	15	18	14	19—66

Free throws missed: Wisconsin—Stracka, 3, Cable 3, Morrow, Godfrey, Spika, Miller 2, Folz. LSU—Pettit 5, McArdle 3, McNeilly, Sebastian 2, Zinser 2, Lee.

33 Each Browns, Rams Declared OK For Pro Playoffs

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 19. (AP)—Thirty - three players from each team have been declared eligible to participate in the National Football League championship game between the Detroit Lions and Cleveland Browns Dec. 27 at Detroit.

N. F. L. Commissioner Bert Bell announced the game will start at 1 p.m. (EST).

The eligible players are:

Cleveland — Atkins, Brewster, Carpenter, Catlin, Colo, Donaldson, Ford, Gatski, Gibron, Gillom, Gorgal, Graham, Groza, Helluin, Houston, Howard, Jagade, James, Jones, Konz, Lahr, Lavelli, Michaels, Motely, Noll, Palmer, Ratterman, Renfro, Reynolds, Sandusky, Steinbrunner, Willis and Young.

Detroit — Ane, Banonis, Bingaman, Box, Cain, Carpenter, Christiansen, Clina, Creekmur, David, Dibble, Doran, Dublinski, Gandee, Gedman, Girard, Hart, Hoernschemeyer, Karilivacz, Lary, Layne, McGraw, Martin, Miller, Prchlik, Schmidt, Sewell, J. Smith, R. Smith, Spencer, Stanfel, Torgeson and Walker.

Ex-Grid Coach At East Texas Killed in Blaze

JOHNSON CITY, Tenn., Dec. 1 (AP)—Robert H. Berry, former head football coach at East Texas State Teachers College, Commerce, Tex., was killed and his wife and two children injured when fire swept their house here today.

Mrs. Berry and Robert, Jr., 1, were reported in critical condition at Memorial Hospital here. They are suffering from burns and cuts in making their way through the blazing home to a second floor window where they jumped to safety.

Miss. Southern Nips Nebraska Wesleyan

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 19. (AP)—Mississippi Southern used its speed and height to advantage in defeating Nebraska Wesleyan 85-53 in a basketball game today.

About 1,500 high school players turned out for the game which was billed as a clinic of the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics. The N. A. I. A., however, said the contest was not part of its December tournament, which ends tonight.

Nick Revon set the scoring pace for Mississippi Southern with 29 points.

Illinois Worried Over Caroline's Gift Acceptance

CHICAGO, Dec. 19 (AP)—The University of Illinois has taken precaution that its sophomore halfback star, J. C. Caroline, will not lose his football eligibility through acceptance of gifts at his home town welcome today.

Caroline, record - breaking big ten ball carrier and regarded the most sensational sophomore in the conference since Red Grange, was to return to his home in Columbia, S. C., today.

The city planned a huge celebration for him, including presentation of some gifts.

One report said the gifts will amount to $500 in value.

Ray Eliot, Illini coach, a week ago sent letters to the Columbia mayor and to Caroline's high school coach informing them just what could be given to J. C. and still stay within bounds of a Big Ten rule relating to professionalism.

"We told the mayor and high school coach that Caroline could accept such things as a wrist watch with his name on it or monogrammed luggage," Church Flynn, Illini sports publicity director, said today.

"We conferred with K. L. (Tug) Wilson (Big Ten commissioner) as soon as we found out about the planned celebration. Caroline can accept anything that cannot be resold for cash."

Bill Reed, assistant commissioner, said the Big Ten rule on such matters states that an athlete can "accept things of a personal nature."

"There is no monetary value placed on personal gifts," said Reed.

"Certainly, the townspeople of Columbia would do nothing to jeopardize Caroline's amateur standing," said Flynn. "The Big Ten rule is rather ambiguous and we wanted to use all precaution."

Ouachita Teams Meet Calhoun Cagers Tuesday

According to Coach Herbert Holliman, basketball mentor at Ouachita Parish High School, his team will meet the Calhoun High cagers at the Ouachita gymnasium Tuesday night, instead of a later date scheduled.

There will be two games against the strong Calhoun basketballers, with the girls game slated for 7 o'clock, and the boys an hour later.

This will be the Ouachita quintet's first regularly scheduled game, while the Calhoun five has already won tournaments at Simsboro and Eros.

Doyle Holstead and Larry Barnes are the only two lettermen Coach Holliman reports back from his championship '52-53 squad.

Marion, Bernice Cop Farmerville Cage Tournament

FARMERVILLE, La., Dec. 19. (Special)—The Marion High School boys team and the Bernice High girls won the Farmerville basketball tournament here tonight. The Marion five edged Calhoun, 51-50 in the finals; and the Bernice girls beat the Linville sextette, 34-26.

Ardis Phillips, with 21 points and a deciding free throw in the final moments, led the Marion cagers; while Joe White, of Calhoun, was game's top scorer with 28 markers.

Truby Green, of Bernice was high scorer for her team in the girls' final; and Gloria Love scored 18 of Linville's 26.

In the first boys semi-final, Calhoun downed Simsboro, 51-44, with White racking up 27 for the winners, and Ben Alexandria 20 for Simsboro. Marion defeated Spearsville, 46-28, in their semi-final tilt, with Phillips scoring 15, and Fred Futch 12 for the losers.

Simsboro won the boys consolation from Spearsville, by a 62-50 margin. Alexandria led the winners' attack with 31 points, and Futch paced the losers, with 16.

Linville beat Spearsville, 30-27, in the first girls semi-final. Miss Love led her team with 14, while Patsy Ogden got 21 of her team's 27. In the other semi, Bernice downed Calhoun, 39-31, with Miss Green scoring 24, for Bernice, and Barbara Coon 14 for Calhoun.

Calhoun won the girls consolation from Spearsville, 30-21. Miss Coon chalked up 21 for the winners, and Claudette Boatright had nine for the losers.

First, second, and third place trophies were awarded in each division.

BASILIO-LANGLOIS DRAW

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Dec. 19 (AP)—Wiry Carmen Basilio and France's tough Pierre Langlois gave the fans a ringful of action tonight in battling to a 10-round draw before a near sell-out crowd. Basilio weighed 148. Langlois weighed 153½.

This Week's Major College Cage Games

NEW YORK, Dec. 19 (AP)—Next week's major college basketball games include:

Monday, Dec. 21 — Oklahoma A&M at Illinois. Indiana at Oregon State. Colorado at Iowa. Michigan at Cincinnati. Minnesota at Tulsa Northwestern at Louisiana State. Ohio State at Miami (Fla). Wisconsin at Tulane. Utah at Arizona. Hardin-Simmons at Regis. College of Pacific at Texas Tech. Baylor at Memphis State. Rice at Vanderbilt. Oklahoma A&M at Illinois. Tulsa at Minnesota. Hawaii at California. Loyola (Chi) at Western Michigan. Kentucky invitational tourney (La Salle, UCLA, Kentucky and Duke) at Lexington. Southern California at Bradley.

Tuesday, Dec. 22 — Indiana at Oregon State. Pitt at Michigan State. Santa Clara vs. St. John's and Utah State vs. NYU doubleheader at New York (Garden). College of Pacific at Texas Western. Washington at Arkansas. Southern Methodist at Oklahoma City. Peoria Cats at North Carolina State. San Francisco at Brigham Young. Iowa State at Drake. Kentucky invitation continued.

Wednesday, Dec. 23 —Marquette at Minnesota. Iona at Queens. Howard Payne at Texas Christian. Rio Grande at North Carolina State. Notre Dame at Bradley. Toledo at Dayton. Southern California at Oklahoma A & M. Furman at Citadel. Cornell at Colgate.

Saturday, Dec. 26—Loyola (Chi) at Michigan. Minnesota at Xavier (O.), Holiday tournament (Brigham Young vs. Manhattan, Niagara vs. St. John's. St. Louis vs. La Salle, Duquesne vs. NYU) at New York (Garden). Temple State at Dayton. Arizona at Bradley. Canisius vs. Columbia and St. Bonaventure vs. Detroit doubleheader at Buffalo, N. Y. Temple vs. Santa Clara and St. Joseph's (Pa.) vs. Utah State doubleheader at Philadelphia. Penn at North Carolina State. Oregon State at Ohio State. College of Pacific at California. Idaho at Montana. Big Seven tournament (Oklahoma, Kansas, Kansas State, Missouri, Coloradio, Nebraska, Iowa State and University of Washington) at Kansas City. Hofstra tournament (American U vs. Hofstra, Lafayette vs. Cortland).

Swift Sword Ist In Tropical Park $5000 Allowance

MIAMI, Fla., Dec. 19. (AP)—Swift Sword, a 2-year-old bay colt who doesn't seem to mind a few extra pounds, and jockey Sammy Boulmetis teamed up again today in the $5,000 Coral Gables Purse at Tropical Park and won their third straight race of the meet.

Despite his top weight of 128 pounds, the Putnam Stable colt finished four lengths ahead of Christiana Stable's Menemsha. The 3 to 5 favorite paid his backers $3.40, $2.70 and $2.50. He covered the six furlongs in 1:11 2-5, two seconds off the track record.

The feature race was marred when Royal Battle fell approaching the halfway marker and gave jockey Dallas Harrier a bad spill. Harrier, from Aransas Pass, Tex., was hospitalized with possible internal injuries. He was placed in an oxygen tent and given a blood transfusion for shock. Doctors had not determined the extent of his injuries.

Menemsha took second place by two lengths and Hat Box was third by three - quarters. Menemsha, a 12 to 1 shot ridden by Willie Lester, paid $7.70, and $4.80. Hat Box, with Norman Mercier up, paid $3.90.

Swift Sword, carrying 14 pounds more than the next heaviest weighted entry, moved into the front at the one - quarter mark and by the halfway pole had taken a three-length lead over Menemsha. Going into the stretch he opened up five - length margin and finished four lengths out front.

Boulmetis and Swift Sword teamed up twice before at Tropical this season and have proved to be a winning combination. They took the DeSoto Handicap here Dec. 5 and the Gainesville Handicap Nov. 28. Today's was an allowance race. In all three victories, the son of Blenheim out of Bell Song has won by more than three lengths.

Menemsha, carrying 110 pounds, made his move at the same time Swift Sword went into the lead, but didn't have enough to overtake him. Hat Box pressed Menemsha for second until the stretch drive.

Today's attendance was 9,810 and the pari mutuel handle of $802,968 was the highest of the season. Total attendance for the season reached 157,367 compared with 173,620 for the like period last year. Wagering is running almost one one and a half million dollars behind last season — $11,571,461 compared with $12,901,572.

Syracuse Easy Victor Over Yale

SYRACUSE, Dec. 19. (AP)—Syracuse overcame first period deficit to romp to an easy victory over Yale's basketball team today 81-67.

The Eli's zone defense caused the Orangemen some concern early in the game but Capt. Mel Besdin began to find the range with set shots, and the New Yorkers had little further difficulty.

Besdin was high scorer for the contest with 26 points. Ronnie Kilpatrick, top rebounder for Syracuse, scored 17 points before he fouled out. Top scorer for the Eli's was Ellsworth Morgan with 15.

Large Crowd Of Notables At Ed Barrow's Funeral

NEW YORK, Dec. 19 (AP)—Funeral services attended by a number of baseball notables were held today for Edward G. Barrow, former New York Yankees general manager credited with building the team's championship empire.

Barrow, a member of baseball's "Hall of Fame," died in a Port Chester, N. Y., hospital Tuesday at the age of 85 after a long illness.

Baseball commissioner Ford Frick led a procession of 50 honorary pallbearers that included baseball executives, baseball stars and sports writers.

Three hundred and fifty persons attended the services in St. Thomas Protestant Episcopal Church on Fifth ave. and another 200 were gathered outside.

The honorary pallbearers included Will Harridge, president of the American League, and Fred Fleig, representing Warren C. Giles, National League president who was unable to attend because of the death of an aunt.

Dan Topping, Yankee president, and George Weiss, general manager, led the team's delegation among the honorary pallbearers.

In this group were Joe McCarthy former manager; Joe DiMaggio, Vernon (Lefty) Gomez, Johnny Murphy, Charlie Keller, Buddy Hassett, George Stirnweiss, Tommy Henrich and Robert (Red) Rolfe, all former players; Phil Rizzuto, of the present world championship team; and Paul Krichell and Bill Skiff, Yankee scouts.

Baseball executives among the honorary bearers included Horace Stoneham, president of the New York Giants; James Mulvey, former prsident of the Brooklyn Dodgers; E. J. (Buzzy) Bavasi, vice-president of the Dodgers; Joe Cronin, general manager of the Boston Red Sox; Frank Shaughnessy, president of the International League; and Bill Grieve, an American League umpire.

The honorary bearers also included James A. Farley, former Postmaster General.

Barrow's widow, Frances; two grandchildren, John and Patricia Campbell, and a great-granddaughter, Audrey Campbell, also attended.

The Rev. Dr. Roelif H. Brooks, rector, conducted the services. He was assisted by the Rev. Dr. Wendell W. Phillips of Rye, N. Y., where Barrow made his home.

Lucy Monroe, noted for her singing of the National Anthem at sports events, sang "Abide With Me."

Burial was in Kenisco Cemetery, Westchester County, N. Y.

IN SECOND PLACE

BOSTON, Dec. 19. (AP)—The Syracuse Nationals took over second place from Boston in the eastern division of the National Basketball Association's eastern division today with a 90-83 victory over the Celtics in the NBA's "TV game of the week" at Boston Garden.

Dr. Moore Captures Pontchartrain Race

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 19 (AP)—A. K. Anderson's Dr. Moore turned on the speed in the stretch today to win the six-furlong $5,000 Pontchartrain handicap at the Fair Grounds.

Dr. Moore broke last in the Field of nine, moved up to sixth at the last turn, then came on fast to cross the finish line a half length ahead of W. H. Bishop's Just Us Girls. Dr. Moore's time was 1:12 2/5.

Dr. Moore paid $41.80, $13.49 and $5.60. Just Us Girls returned $4 and 3, and Jet Ace paid $14.80 to show.

Betting for the day by 12,000 fans totaled $462,877.

Local Manager Invites People Here To Get $100 For Holiday Expenses

J. E. WOOD

A special "Holiday Money" Plan is now being offered by the local office of Aetna Finance Co. Worthy families and individuals can get $100 at once on name only.

"Everyone here and in nearby towns is invited," said the Aetna manager. "Good credit is all you need." Large amounts up to $1000 also available. Just stop in or phone ahead for faster service or if you wish to come in after work or in the evening.

The Aetna office is located at 204 North Second, Phone 3-6634.—Adv.

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We have plenty of partridges, wild turkeys, pheasants and quail for you to take home.

Kentucky-St. Louis Cage Rivalry Fanned By Fight

Assist... St. Louis Timer Come To Blows

ST. LOUIS, Dec. (AP)—A red-hot basketball rivalry between St. Louis University and Kentucky was fanned to the boiling point today by newspaper accounts of extra curricular activities during last night's game here.

The incident erupted during the second half of the game, won by Kentucky, the nation's no. 2 team, 71-59, when Pat Hickey, son of St. Louis coach Eddie Hickey, and Harry Lancaster, assistant Kentucky coach reportedly exchanged blows.

The Louisville Times, in a story by sports editor Dean Eagle, today quoted Lancaster as saying he swung at young Hickey after he had been called a "dirty so-and so" by him.

Lancaster further was quoted as saying Pat Hickey had been abusive all during the game and had been firing the timer's pistol too close to his ear.

The story also said Lancaster was grabbed by two priests after he swung and then was clipped on the chin by young Hickey's return blow. No one restrained young Hickey, the newspaper said.

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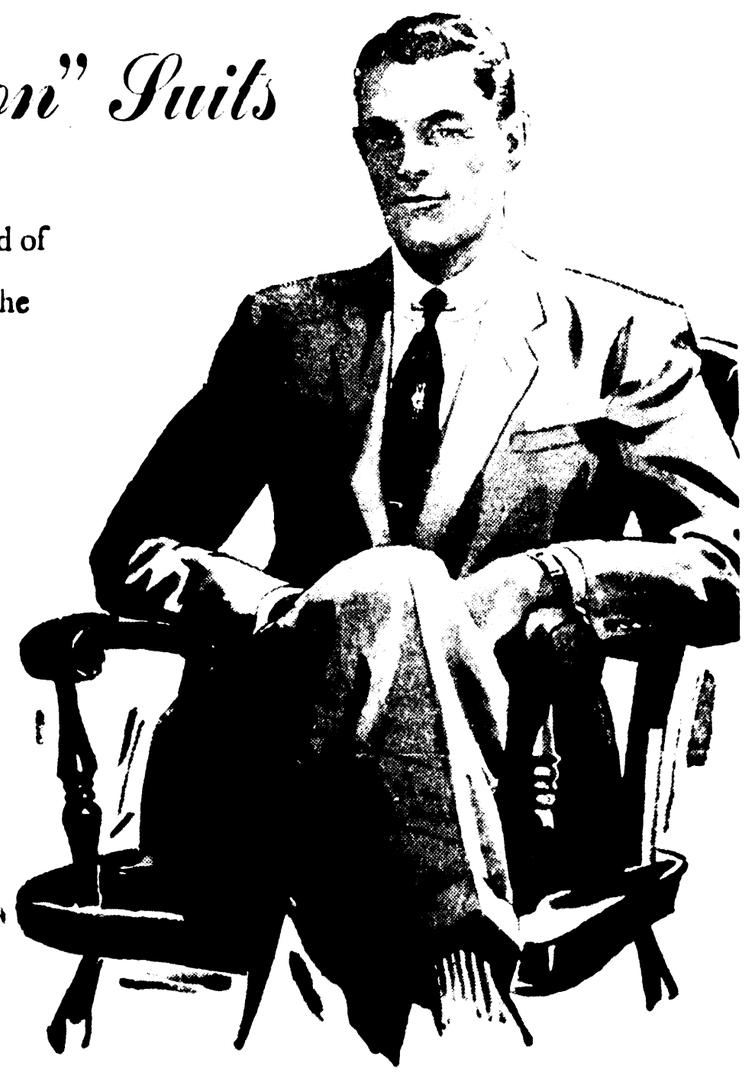

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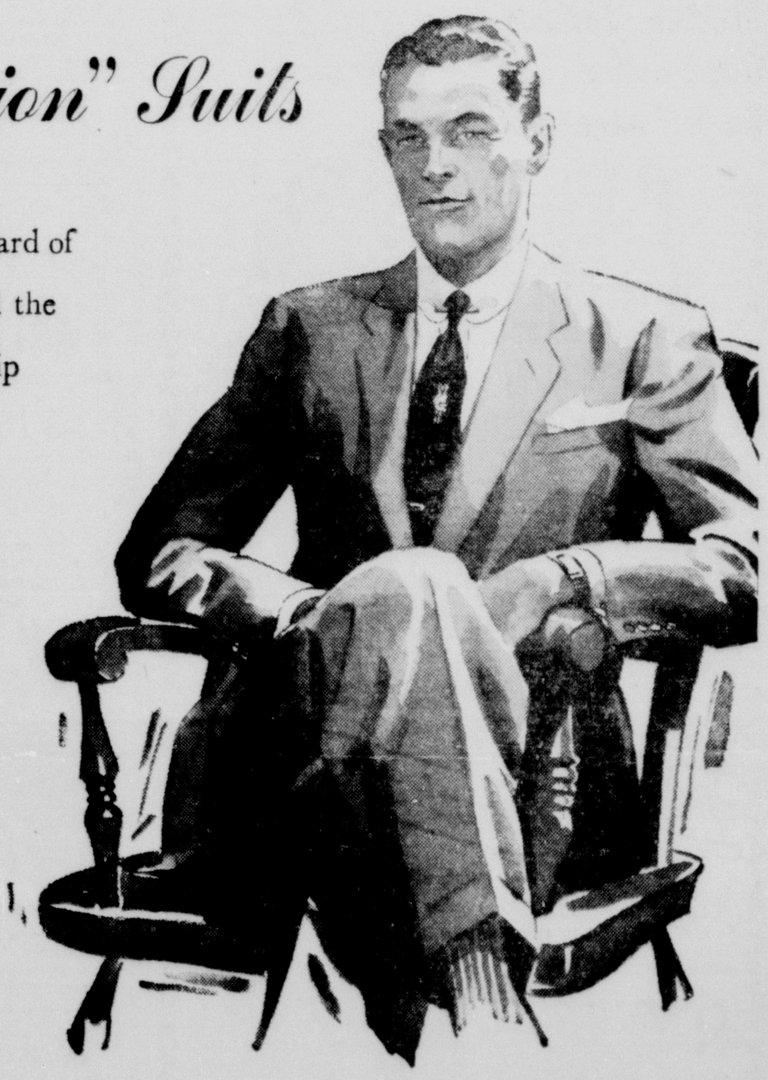

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Their match alone Tuesday night is worthy of main billing.

Barney, the West Monroe garage operator, defeated veteran Johnny Silvers in his last outing, and looks better each time he dons trunks. Against former light-heavy champ Mobley, though, he's going against a veteran scientific grappler, who is expected to show Bill a trick or two.

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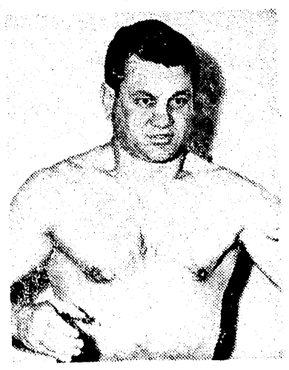
Goliath, for the benefit of those who didn't see him in action here last week, is a 325-pound, ring-wise veteran. Standing seven-feet tall, the giant impressed all the fans immensely, not only with his size and strength, but with his ring know-how.

As Barney, who refereed last week's match stated; "I never thought a guy that big could handle himself so well." (Barney got handled himself when he got in Goliath's way.)

Loy Scarbrough, sheriff's deputy and Arena boxing official, said "Those who didn't come really missed something—that man is not only big—he gets around—fast."

The giant, who hails from Poland and is a naturalized citizen, has made professional wrestling his career in the U. S., and was acclaimed everywhere as a highly-formidable matman long before he was chosen for the part of the huge Philistine warrior in the "David and Bathsheba" cinema.



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Writer Lists Boxing, Baseball Facts, Tales

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Whether he can reach the four-minute goal or Gunder Haegg's world record of 4:01.4 then is problematical.

He has said several times that he greatly prefers the Olympic Park track here and also the climate here. Then, too, February—similar to August in the United States — could well be just as hot as it was today.

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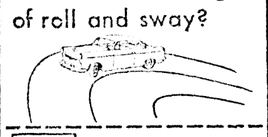

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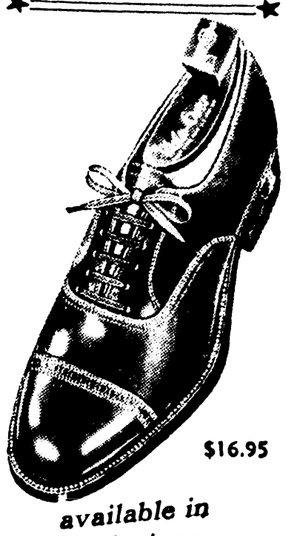

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Their match alone Tuesday night is worthy of main billing.

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Goliath, for the benefit of those who didn't see him in action here last week, is a 325-pound, ring-wise veteran. Standing seven-feet tall, the giant impressed all the fans immensely, not only with his size and strength, but with his ring know-how.

As Barney, who refereed last week's match stated; "I never thought a guy that big could handle himself so well." (Barney got handled himself when he got in Goliath's way.)

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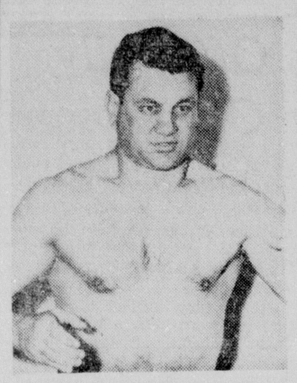

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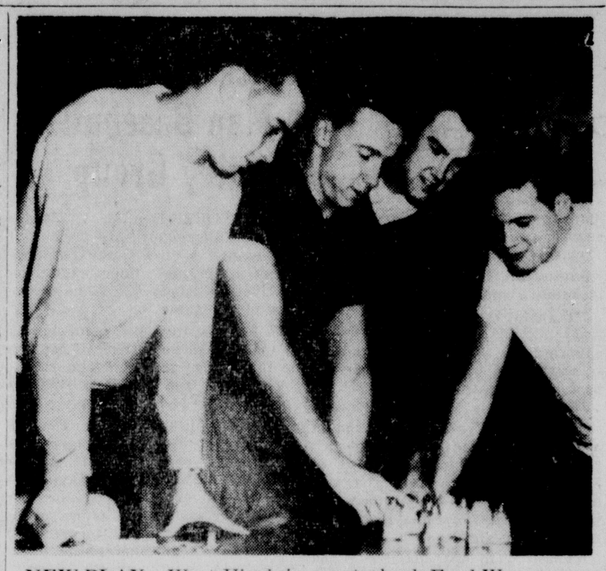

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Jack Stone and Bob Moss, the Nos. 1 and 2 halfbacks have shaken off minor leg bruises received late in the regular season.

Lewis' closed-door policy for practices and his reluctance to talk much of anything but generalities indicated that any new tactics the Mountaineers plan against the Engineers will be closely guarded secrets until game time.

When asked for example if the team would go to the air much, he evasively replied that "we'll probably decide about things like that on the day of the game."

Lewis did explain, however, that the West Virginia squad has the utmost confidence in the so-called "bread and butter" plays on which it relied during the regular season.

"If you can use them all year and make 'em work, you can use 'em in a bowl game. We've been working at sharpening our blocking and timing," he said.

Virgil Trucks Is First White Sox Player To Sign

CHICAGO, Dec. 19. (AP)—Virgil Trucks, who made the "comeback of the year" in Chicago, is the first Chicago White Sox baseball player to sign for 1954.

The American League Club announced receipt of the veteran righthander's contract today.

In 1952, while with the Detroit Tigers, Trucks pitched two no-hit, no-run games but ended the season with a weak overall record of five wins and 19 losses.

He started the '53 season with the St. Louis Browns and won five and lost four for the Browns before joining the Sox in a trade June 14.

He won 15 games for the Sox and lost only six through the rest of the season, compiling an earned run average of 2.93 for the season — third best in the league.

The 34-year-old fireballer thus became the first 20-game winner on the Sox staff since 1941, when Thornton Lee turned the trick. The Chicago Chapter of the Baseball Writers' Association of America will honor him at its annual dinner Jan. 17. The chapter earlier voted him 1953 "comeback" standout.

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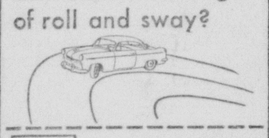

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Monroe, La.

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AND ALL
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THROUGH
. . . Many a home you'll tour before you buy — but here's one that'll end your tour! It's new & it's solid brick on a corner lot with these features: 3 bedrooms & a den; white crushed marble roof; Roman brick fireplace wall; Roman brick chimney & it's already financed. Sandor Drive is the location. Wanta' look?

THE HOUSE
. . . that became a home! Not a fable, but rather the truth . . . For here's a "family" home at 705 Filhiol with a host of captivating features! Such as: 6-rooms — 3 bedrooms; tile bath with tub and tile shower stall; solid maple floors; ingenious kitchen; both walls and ceiling are insulated and the lot is 70x150. It's priced at only $12,500 with $2,500 down.

NOT A
. . . Flaw you'll find — not a thing you'd change in this fashionable brick on a corner lot at 4208 Lee Ave! It's an 8-month-old youngster with these features: 6 rooms, 2 bedrooms & den; unique kitchen; breezeway & carport; bath has shower & colored fixtures. Let us show you today!

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WAS STIRRING
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. . . occupied, but it oughta' be — for it's a sensible buy in a roomy home on a spacious lot. It's located at 510 Sherrouse in the college area with 2 bedrooms, den, 2 baths, large kitchen with dishwasher & breakfast area. It's priced at $13,000 with G. I. financing if desired.

A MOUSE
. . . would play havoc if he ever got inside 322 Stewart, for you'd play the devil finding him in all the closets this home has. Not only closets galore but also: 3 bedrooms, 1½ baths, breezeway, carport with large storage room and "to boot" it's just ½ block to grammar school! It'll be a pleasure to show you this one.

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Most Salaried Workers To Gain By Tax Changes Effective January 1

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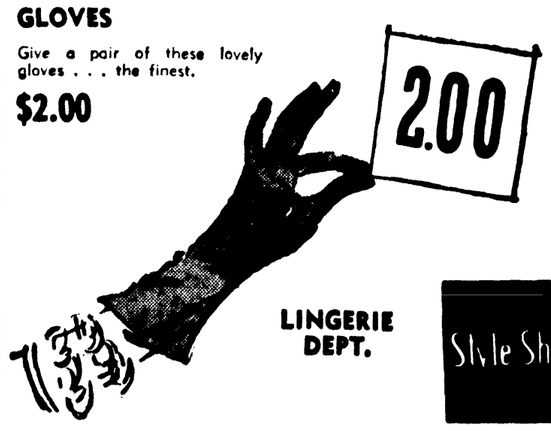

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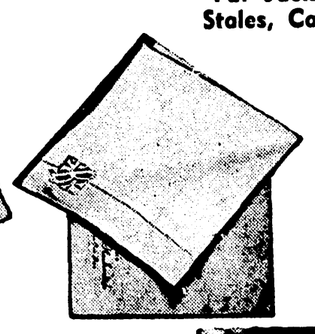

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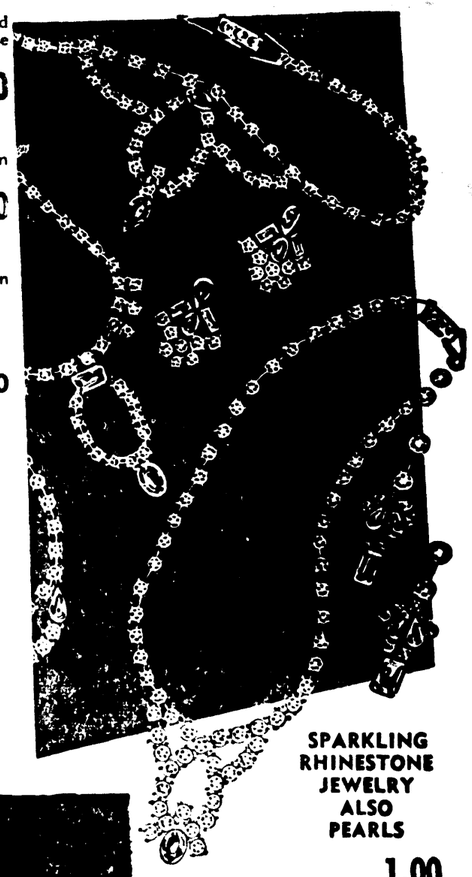

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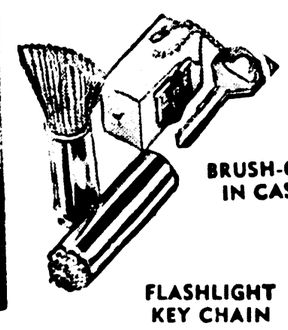

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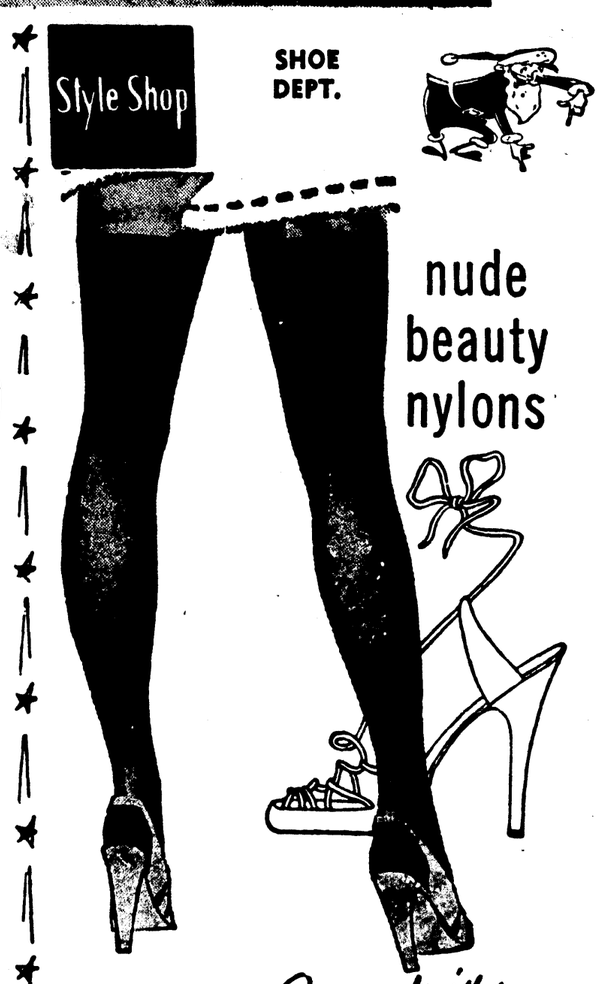

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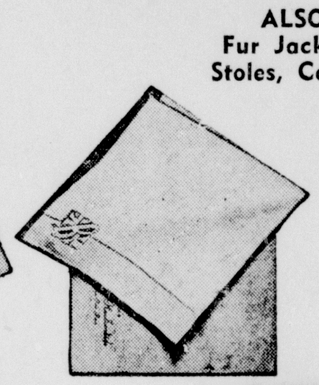

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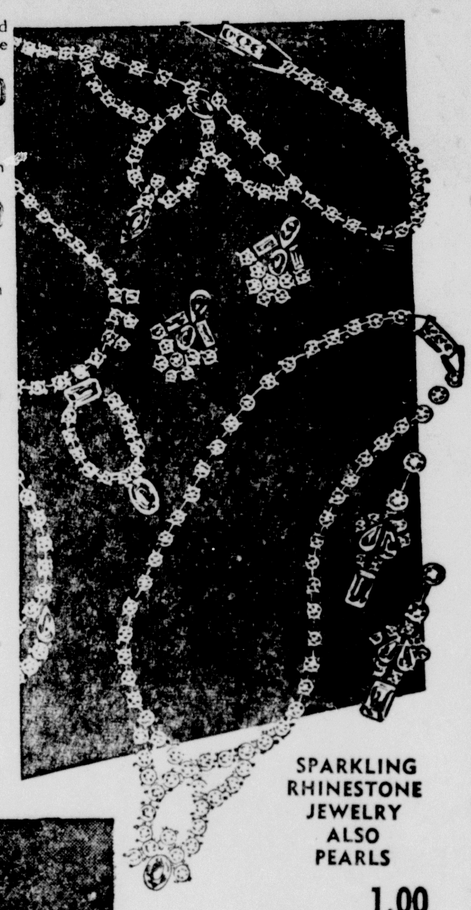

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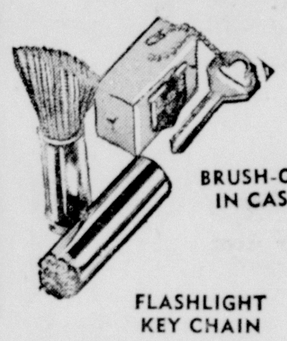

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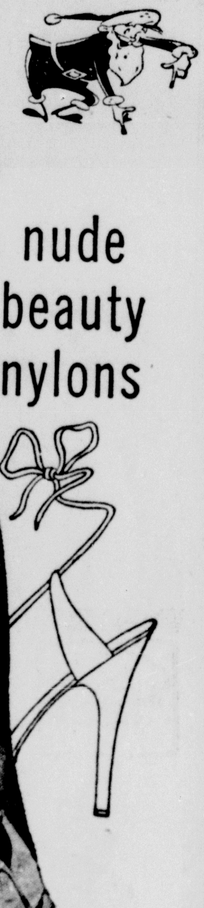

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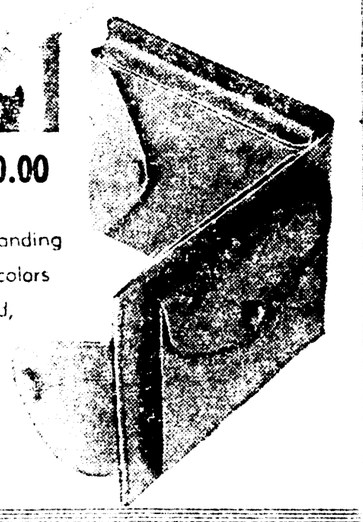

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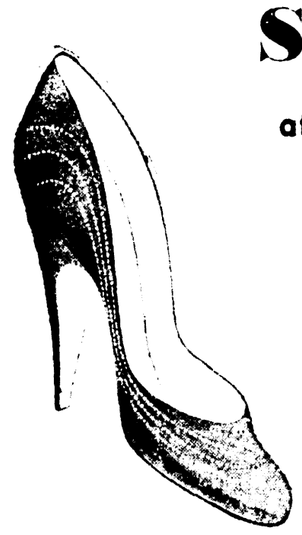

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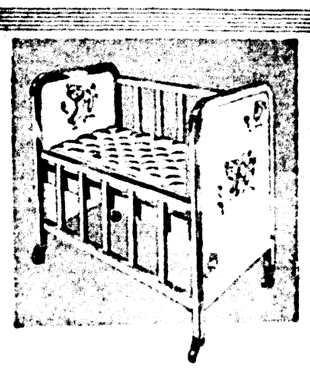

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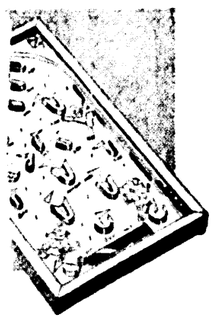

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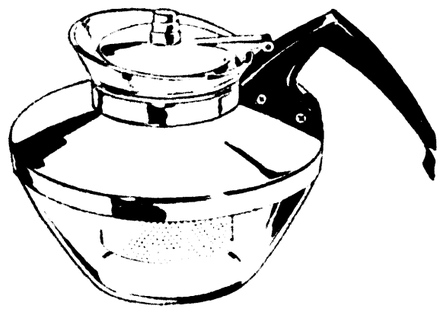

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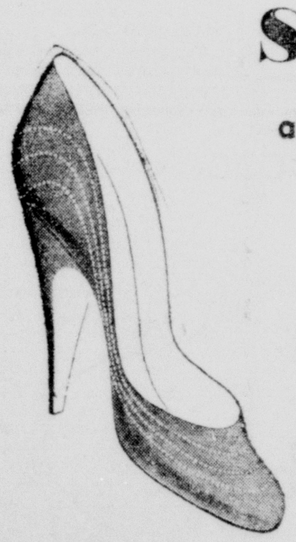

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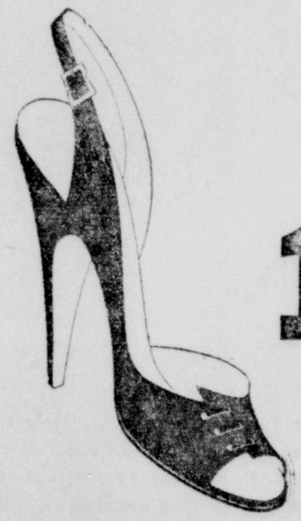

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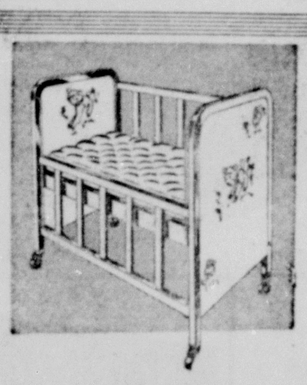

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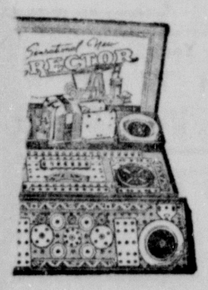

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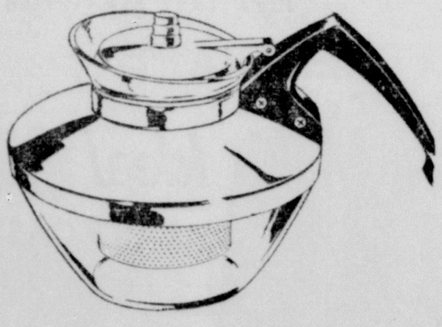

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A talk on "Christmas Customs in The American Colonies" brought by Mrs. Duncan Cook also added to the spirit of the season.

Mrs. Nichols was assisted by Mrs. W. E. Leigh, Mrs. F. W. Dawson, Mrs. J. B. Filhiol, Sr., Miss Marie Filhiol, Mrs. Fred L. Hancock, Mrs. C. P. Gray, Sr., Mrs. F. A. Jones, Mrs. Matthew Troy and Mrs. Ruby Oakland Warner in extending courtesies. Those present were: Mrs. C. R. Russell, Mrs. J. T. Carlton, Mrs. George W. Lester, Mrs. Duncan Cook, Mrs. George Hemphill, Mrs. W. C. Oliver, Mrs. Harry Lemert, Mrs. C. P. Gray, Sr., Mrs. W. B. Inabnet, Mrs. Darwin Nichols, Mrs. O. C. Roddey, Mrs. Lee Hodges, Mrs. Shelby Meek, Mrs. W. A. Whitfield, Jr., Mrs. Arthur Tidwell, Mrs. F. W. Dawson, Mrs. Austin Miller, Mrs. W. E. Leigh, Mrs. Fagan Cox, Mrs. Milling Bernstein, Mrs. Floyd Martin, Mrs. Elliott Thompson, Mrs. H. M. Butler, Miss Mary Buckner, Mrs. Martha Troy, Mrs. John Elton Coon, Miss Frances Flanders, Regent, Mrs. J. L. Hutchinson, Miss Eleona Brinsmade, Mrs. Willie G. Roberts, Mrs. T. Ivy McDonald, Mrs. Manning McGuire, Mrs. S. W. McLean and Mrs. Ruby Warner.

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Miss Barbara Minyard Is Bride Of Lt. R. H. George

Miss Barbara Minyard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Grimes Minyard of Bastrop, became the bride of Lt. Robert H. George, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. George, Sr., in an impressive double-ring ceremony performed at four o'clock in the afternoon at the First Methodist Church in Bastrop. Rev. Jack Midyett officiated at the wedding.

White gladioli and palms decorated the church altar amidst a myriad of white cathedral tapers.

Miss Mary Ann Walton, rendered a concert of prenuptial music and accompanied the soloist, Miss Bennie Faye Berry, as she sang "Because."

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was wearing a waltz-length gown of Chantilly lace, fastened with lace covered buttons with a Elizabethian neckline and long sleeves extending to points over the wrist. Her skirt was of tiered nylon with pleated net over satin. Her veil was chapel length. She carried a white satin and lace covered Bible edged with seed pearls and topped by orange blossoms with white carnations centered with an orchid.

Miss Suzanne Minyard served her sister as maid of honor. She was wearing a neptune green taffeta gown with bronze chrysanthemums. Her gown was fashioned with a V neckline, fitted bodice and bouffant skirt.

Miss Ramona Minyard, sister of the bride, and Miss Carolyn George, sister of the bridegroom, were bridesmaids. Their gowns matched the maid of honor.

William George, brother of the groom, was best man.

Ushers were Bobby Bagwell of Baskin and E. P. George, Jr. of Monroe.

The bride's mother chose for the occasion a blue silk model with black accessories and a corsage of white carnations.

The groom's mother was becomingly attired in a blue suit with matching accessories and white carnations.

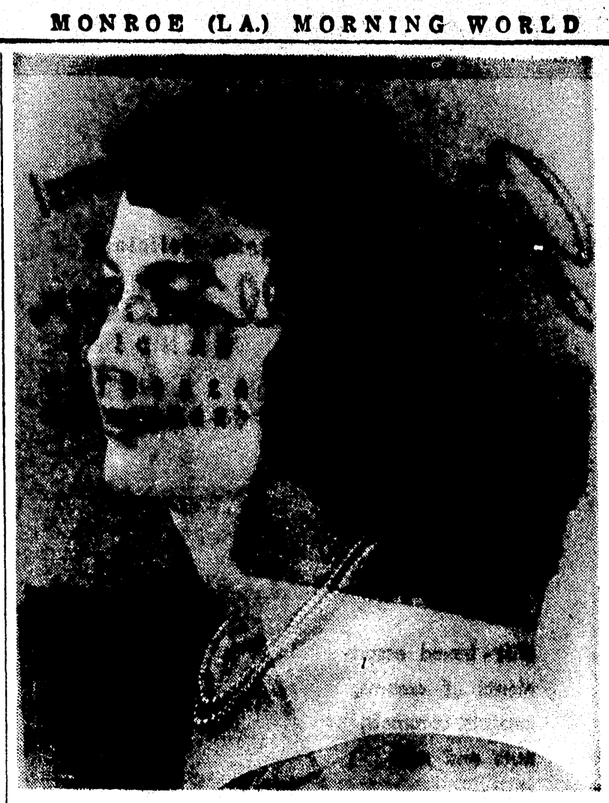
The couple departed on a wedding trip to Hot Springs, Ark., following the ceremony. For traveling the bride changed to a black suit with black velvet accessories. Her corsage was an orchid.

They will make their home in Youngstown, Ohio.

The bride is a graduate of Bastrop High School and Louisiana State University in Baton Rouge.

Lt. George also graduated from Bastrop High School and Louisiana Tech at Ruston.

Out-of-town guests at the wedding were: Mrs. W. H. Honeycutt of Baton Rouge; Mrs. Mary Brulte and Donald; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Overton, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. George, Jr.; Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Overton, Mr. Jimmie George, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hance, all of Monroe; Miss Ruby McNair, Mr. Bobby Bagwell, both of Baskin; Mrs. Bailey Smith of Henderson, Tex.; Mrs. W. E. Taylor, Mrs. Vera Overton, Mrs. Flynn, all of Monroe.



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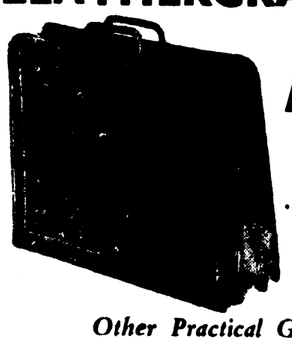

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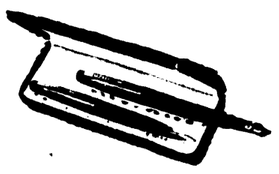

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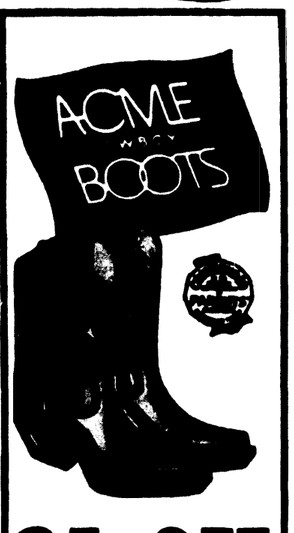

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A talk on "Christmas Customs in The American Colonies" brought by Mrs. Duncan Cook also added to the spirit of the season.

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White gladioli and palms decorated the church altar amidst a myriad of white cathedral tapers.

Miss Mary Ann Walton, rendered a concert of prenuptial music and accompanied the soloist, Miss Bennie Faye Berry, as she sang "Because."

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was wearing a waltz-length gown of Chantilly lace, fastened with lace covered buttons with a Elizabethian neckline and long sleeves extending to points over the wrist. Her skirt was of tiered nylon with pleated net over satin. Her veil was chapel length. She carried a white satin and lace covered Bible edged with seed pearls and topped by orange blossoms with white carnations centered with an orchid.

Miss Suzanne Minyard served her sister as maid of honor. She was wearing a neptune green taffeta gown with bronze chrysanthemums. Her gown was fashioned with a V neckline, fitted bodice and bouffant skirt.

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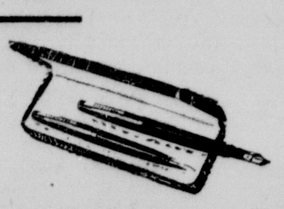
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Texture Gives New Dimension

NEW YORK—(NEA)— A newcomer to the resort scene is corduroy, both printed and plain. Colors are bright or pastel, with the print theme carried in basic shades for ensemble effects.

Finer and lighter weight is an important factor in the new corduroys. This light weight has been found warm enough for cool climates and cool enough for warm climates.

The prints look newest and freshest on sparkling white grounds. Prints may be large or small, splashy or scattered. And in addition to the florals, there are ombre stripes, checks, formal figures, and foulard prints worked out in separates. The circle print, for instance, looks new and handsome. This is achieved by using a small crescent at the top to encircle the waist, followed by half circles down the skirt that increase in size to the hemline.

Some designers are using corduroy horizontally rather than in the classic vertical manner, thus creating new surface interest.

In lounge wear, there's fashion news, too. Moire effects and small, spaced florals have been introduced along with geometric designs on white.

Even in accessories, corduroy has captured the imagination of designers. There are bold plaids for big handbags, black - and - white stripes for cocktail slippers. Petitpoint and cross - stitch designs are gay for at-home footwear. For gloves, there are brand-new tweed patterns.

O. E. S. Installs New Officers In Saline Chapter

SALINE — The Order of the Eastern Star of Saline chapter No. 214 duly installed the following officers to serve for 1954 at their meeting last week: Worthy matron, Mrs. Litha Ursery; worthy patron, Mr. E. J. Allen; associate patron, Mr. Isacc Harris; associate matron, Mrs. Isaac Harris; associate conductress, Mrs. Myrtle Parks; conductress, Mrs. Maude Allen; Marshall, Mrs. Pearl Peyton; chaplain, Miss Mollie Driggers; warder, Mrs. Dale Rogers; sentinel, Mr. Burke Rogers.

The following star points were appointed; Mrs. Beulah Enloe, Ada; Mrs. Arlene Allen, Ruth; Mrs. Virgie Harville, Esther; Mrs. Gertrude Enloe, Martha; Mrs. Eloise Frey, Electa. The installing officers were members of the Holly Springs chapter.

Old powder puffs are handy for cleaning and polishing silverware.

Purely Personal

Friday and Saturday were home coming days for the students of La. Tech in Ruston, L. S. U. and Tulane and Newcomb College in New Orleans. Among others arriving to be with their families during the holidays are John Cummings from S. M. U. and Caroline from All Saints in Vicksburg. Medora Jayne Pearce also an All Saints student will be with her mother, Mrs. Addie M. Pearce. Print Seymour arrived Saturday from Culver Military Academy. X. Holt Jr. also came on Saturday from Roswell, New Mexico. Jim Wallace and Robert Kellogg were Thursday arrivals from Baylor School in Chattanooga, Tenn.

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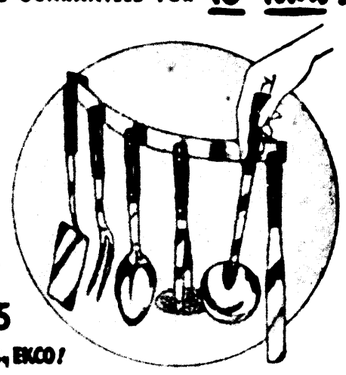

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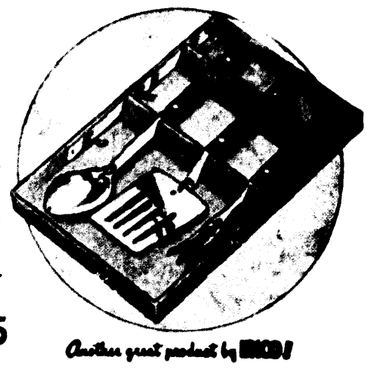

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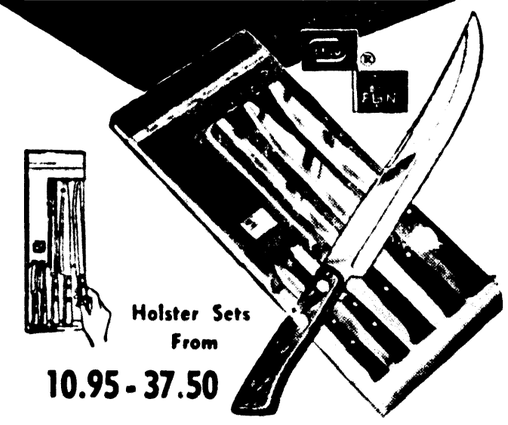

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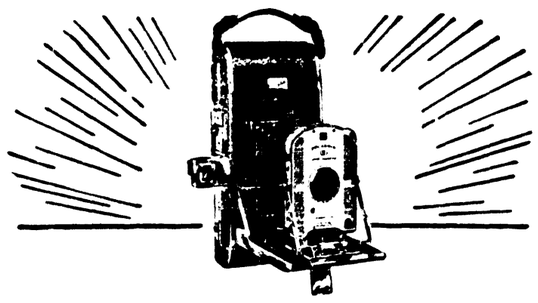

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Texture Gives New Dimension

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Finer and lighter weight is an important factor in the new corduroys. This light weight has been found warm enough for cool climates and cool enough for warm climates.

The prints look newest and freshest on sparkling white grounds. Prints may be large or small, splashy or scattered. And in addition to the florals, there are ombre stripes, checks, formal figures, and foulard prints worked out in separates. The circle print, for instance, looks new and handsome. This is achieved by using a small crescent at the top to encircle the waist, followed by half circles down the skirt that increase in size to the hemline.

Some designers are using corduroy horizontally rather than in the classic vertical manner, thus creating new surface interest.

In lounge wear, there's fashion news, too. Moire effects and small, spaced florals have been introduced along with geometric designs on white.

Even in accessories, corduroy has captured the imagination of designers. There are bold plaids for big handbags, black - and - white stripes for cocktail slippers. Petit-point and cross - stitch designs are gay for at-home footwear. For gloves, there are brand-new tweed patterns.

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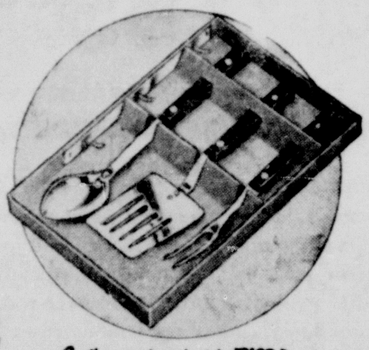

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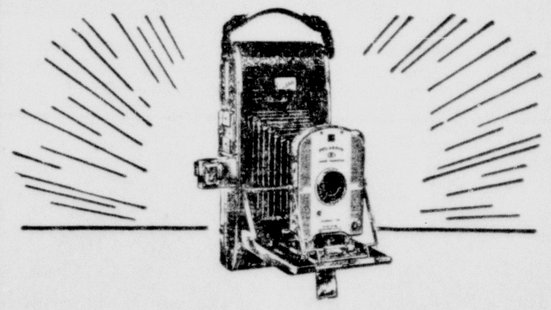

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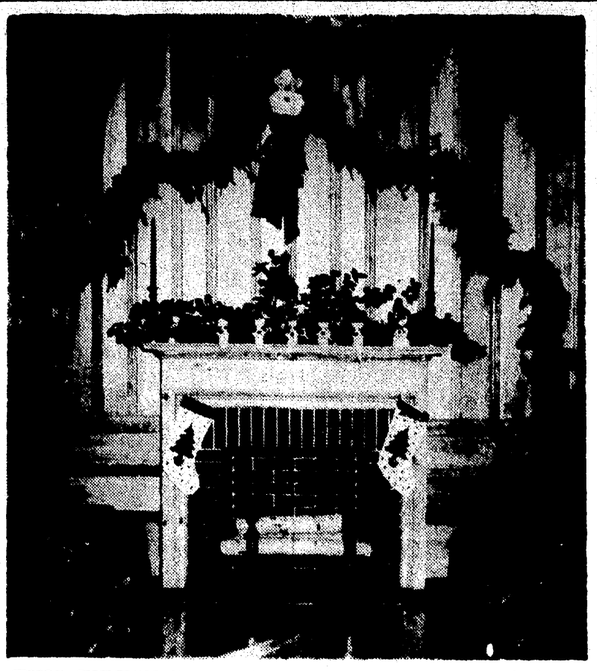

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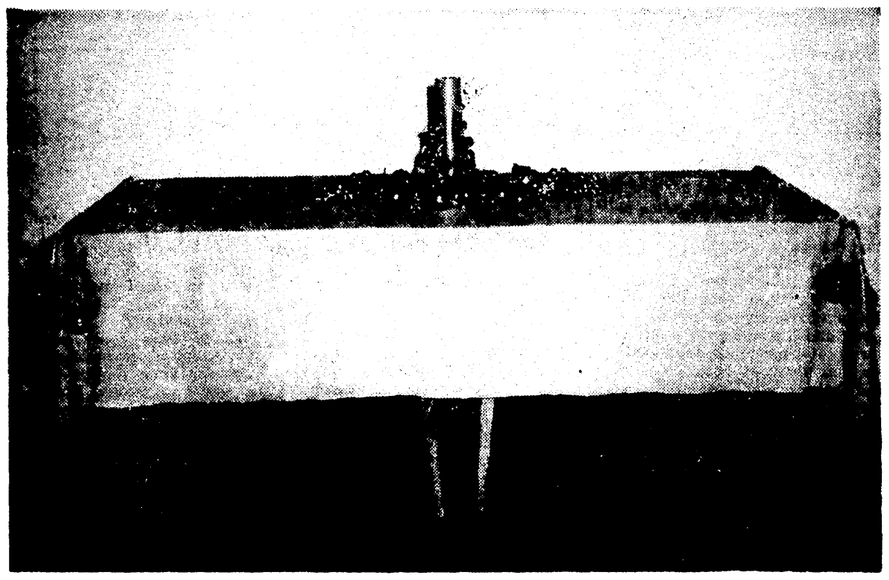

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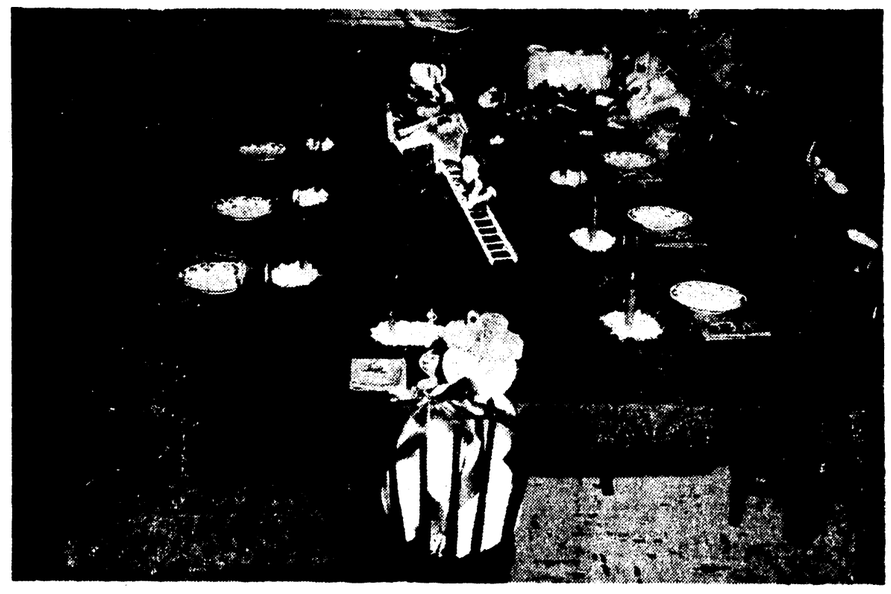

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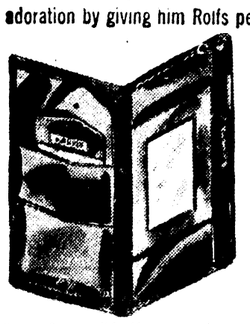

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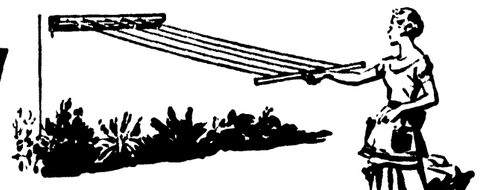

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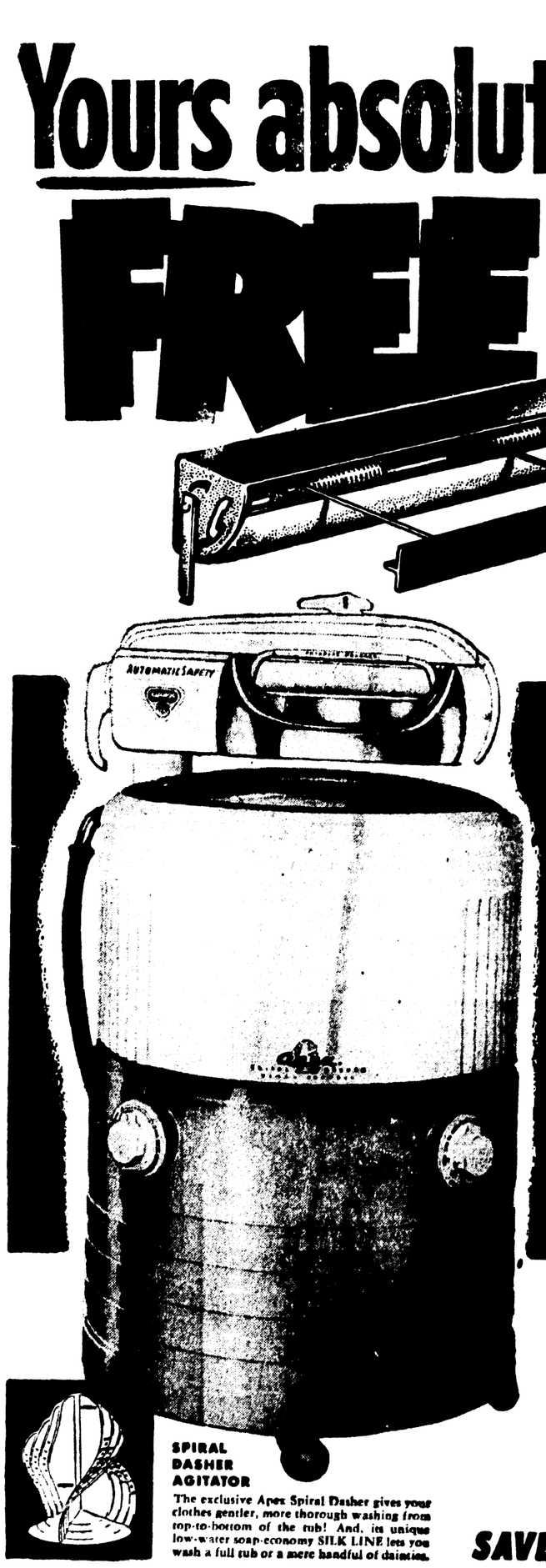

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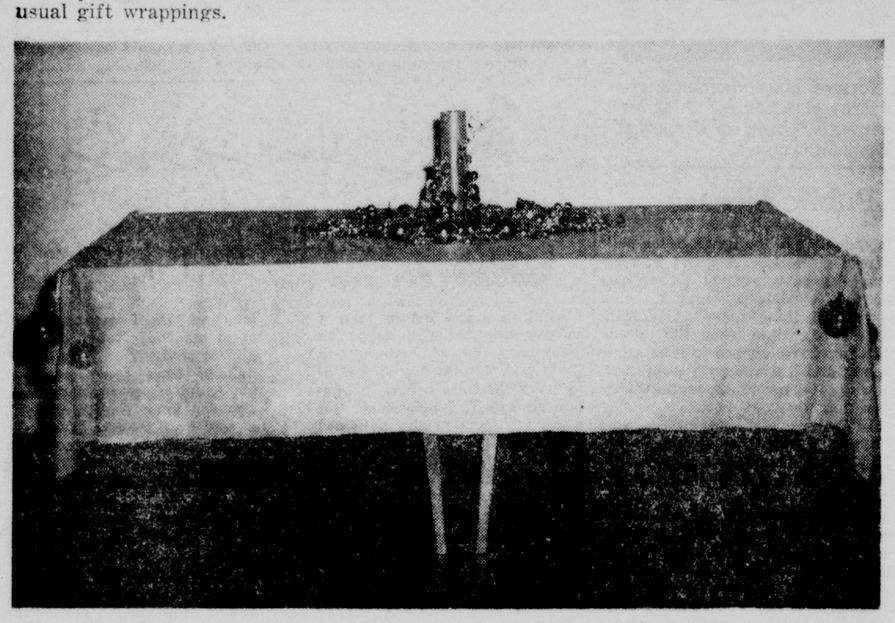

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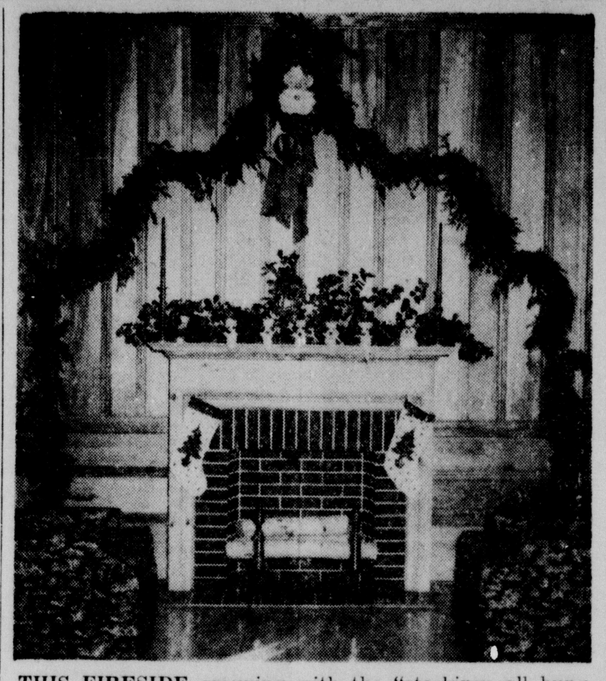

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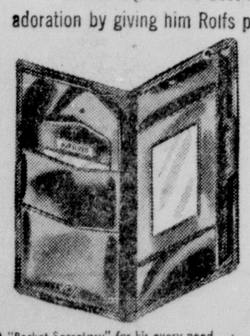

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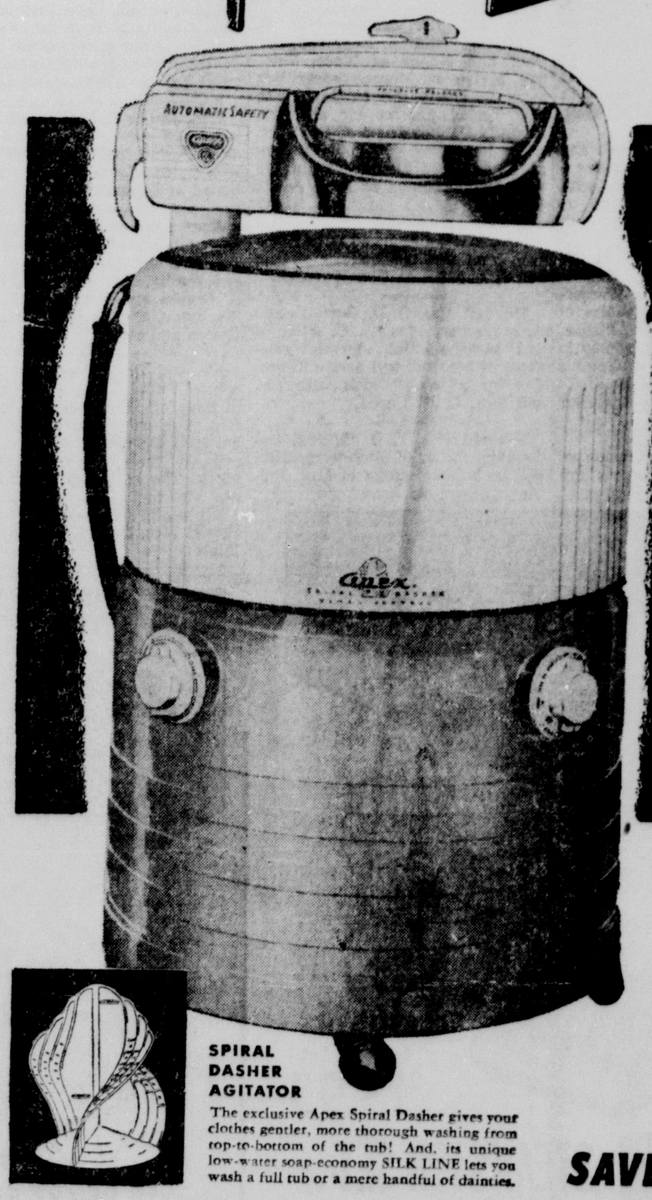

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Mrs. Bridger Thornhill was general chairman. She had as her co-chairman Mrs. C. C. Luckey and Mrs. Louis Turner. Mrs. DeWitt Milam and Mrs. Ed Dalton, club president, helped with plans and properties and also assisted in receiving the guests, which numbered approximately 300.

The door was covered with gold and an attractive star which was made from greenery and balls hung upon it. This was made by Mrs. Amos Shelton, Mrs. Dave Garrett, Mrs. Lee Vanderpool, Mrs. John Clay and Mrs. John Mullens. The entrance hall was decorated by Mrs. W. N. Reynolds with silver magnolia leaves, frosted fruit and silver candelabra. The doors into the ball room had mistletoe and kissing bells done by Mrs. Floyd Stone, Sr.

Among things the ball room featured was buffet table done by Mrs. Theo Terzia using a red cloth with a green grape center piece made of Christmas balls. There was a table displaying house decorations, such as Christmas stockings, beautifully wrapped gifts, a gold tree made from magnolia pods. A delightful Santa had been made from baskets. Those working with the home decorations were from the Patio Garden Club, one of the young clubs sponsored by Monroe Garden Club. They were Mrs. Paul Ransom, Mrs. Tommy Sandridge and Mrs. Joe Dixon. Mrs. Nelson Able, Mrs. Richard Kellogg and Mrs. H. D. Touchstone made a beautiful Della Robia wreath, they are members of the Town and Country Garden Club.

The next table featured gift wrapping. Mrs. Richard Port was chairman with Mrs. W. R. Oliver co-chairman. Much imagination had been used and the presents represented trains, Santas made from spoons, etc.

The tea table was prepared by Mrs. C. C. Lucky. It was covered with a white satin cloth upon which a beautiful arrangement of Red Delight Roses and gold ivy were placed. Mrs. Charles Wilds, Mrs. Russell Kynock, Mrs. M. A. Abington and Mrs. Corbin Turpin served delicious cookies' which were ordered from a famous New Orleans pastry shop, and coffee.

A Christmas bride's table was lovely with a white cloth, double satin wedding rings with white camelias, net and candelabra were its decoration. Mrs. George Snellings, Mrs. L. L. Hall and Mrs. Floyd Stone arranged this table.

Guests then went to the Children's room which looked enticing with all the old ideas of Christmas and many new ones. Mrs. J. H. Trousdale was chairman for this room. She and Mrs. H. B. Hargrove did a children's party table on a large low table covered with a winter green cloth. Santa's pack overflowing with gifts made the attractive centerpiece with Santa climbing to the top on a white ladder. The china was holly trimmed, skating ponds with tiny skaters writing the names with their skates. The Christmas angel hung above the table. Red ribbon and holly made each small chair look gay.

The fireplace was wonderful to behold with its long garland of greenery draped artistically above it. Santa looked down on a mantel covered with holly and five adorable Santa heads which seemed to be enjoying the party from on the edge of the mantel. Stockings and two easy chairs completed a nice picture. Mrs. Scott Hamilton and Mrs. John Theus were responsible for this setting.

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Mrs. John Sherrouse had as her committee to decorate the club with greenery Mrs. Walter Reynolds, Mrs. G. A. Boyd, Mrs. Russell Kynock and Mrs. Grayson Gutherie. They were also responsible for the attractive furniture placements. Mrs. Raymond Cammack painted the angels that decorated the windows.

Four past presidents served during the afternoon: Mrs. W. R. Wooten, Miss Emma Lou Biedenharn, Mrs. Fred Fudickar and Mrs. A. E. Montgomery. Beautiful Christmas music was rendered by Mrs. James Brothers and Mrs. Grayson Gutherie.

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Bono Nostrorum Club Has Guest Speaker

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Mr. Parkenson of Northeast College was welcomed and introduced to the assembled guests. He is assistant professor of English and Dramatic Art at the college.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. H. L. Murray, who asked that Mrs. C. W. Jones lead in prayer. The salute to the flag was then led by the president, after which she turned the meeting over to the program chairman, Mrs. Baker.

After a few brief introductory words, Mrs. Baker introduced Mr. Parkenson as the speaker of the evening. His subject was "Television Versus Radio and the Home." He said in part: Some people are like the old farmer who, when asked if he hadn't seen many changes in his time, answered, "Yep! Been agin every one of them, too."

Television will not take the place of good shows or radio programs just as neither of the latter hurt other musical instruments too much. They are still on the market.

The parents who supervise the programs their children see will help to make them more intelligent, better informed, and give them a world outlook no other generation has had. Those who do not control the programs will find TV a bad influence. Those who comment on TV say the American public will talk less, give more time to family life, and feel their family unit is more closely drawn together.

Television will be used more and more in the field of education. Some cities are putting sets in buildings so that children can come to see supervised shows. Some schools are buying sets for educational pictures. Others will. Northeast is planning a series of educational programs instructing the public on safety, science, and civil defense.

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THE BEAUTIFULLY decorated Christmas tree filled one corner of the Young People's lounge. The glowing lights and ornaments were the work of Mrs. Travis Oliver and Mrs. James Sparks. Many other unusual decorations were shown in the room.

Country Club Is Setting For Garden Club Party

The members of Monroe Garden Club took as their theme "Make Your Own Merry Christmas" for their Christmas party this year. They made their own Merry Christmas at Bayou DeSiard Country Club December 15. Formerly for Christmas a tour has been enjoyed to several homes which have been decorated, but this year all efforts went into the decorating of the Club.

Mrs. Bridger Thornhill was general chairman. She had as her co-chairman Mrs. C. C. Luckey and Mrs. Louis Turner. Mrs. DeWitt Milam and Mrs. Ed Dalton, club president, helped with plans and properties and also assisted in receiving the guests, which numbered approximately 300.

The door was covered with gold and an attractive star which was made from greenery and balls hung upon it. This was made by Mrs. Amos Shelton, Mrs. Dave Garrett, Mrs. Lee Vanderpool, Mrs. John Clay and Mrs. John Mullens. The entrance hall was decorated by Mrs. W. N. Renvolds with silver magnolia leaves, frosted fruit and silver candelabra. The doors into the ball room had mistletoe and kissing bells done by Mrs. Floyd Stone, Sr.

Among things the ball room featured was buffet table done by Mrs. Theo Terzia using a red cloth with a green grape center piece made of Christmas balls. There was a table displaying house decorations, such as Christmas stockings, beautifully wrapped gifts, a gold tree made from magnolia pods. A delightful Santa had been made from baskets. Those working with the home decorations were from the Patio Garden Club, one of the young clubs sponsored by Monroe Garden Club. They were Mrs. Paul Ransom, Mrs. Tommy Sandridge and Mrs. Joe Dixon. Mrs. Nelson Able, Mrs. Richard Kellogg and Mrs. H. D. Touchstone made a beautiful Della Robia wreath, they are members of the Town and Country Garden Club.

The next table featured gift wrapping. Mrs. Richard Port was chairman with Mrs. W. R. Oliver co-chairman. Much imagination had been used and the presents represented trains, Santas made from spoons, etc.

The tea table was prepared by Mrs. C. C. Lucky. It was covered with a white satin cloth upon which a beautiful arrangement of Red Delight Roses and gold ivy were placed. Mrs. Charles Wilds, Mrs. Russell Kynock, Mrs. M. A. Abington and Mrs. Corbin Turpin served delicious cookies' which were ordered from a famous New Orleans pastry shop, and coffee.

A Christmas bride's table was lovely with a white cloth, double satin wedding rings with white camelias, net and candlelabra were its decoration. Mrs. George Snellings, Mrs. L. L. Hall and Mrs. Floyd Stone arranged this table.

Guests then went to the Children's room which looked enticing with all the old ideas of Christmas and many new ones. Mrs. J. H. Trousdale was chairman for this room. She and Mrs. H. B. Hargrove did a children's party table on a large low table covered with a winter green cloth. Santa's pack overflowing with gifts made the attractive centerpiece with Santa climbing to the top on a white ladder. The china was holly trimmed, skating ponds with tiny skaters writing the names with their skates. The Christmas angel hung above the table. Red ribbon and holly made each small chair look gay.

The fireplace was wonderful to behold with its long garland of greenery draped artistically above it. Santa looked down on a mantel covered with holly and five adorable Santa heads which seemed to be enjoying the party from on the edge of the mantel. Stockings and two easy chairs completed a nice picture. Mrs. Scott Hamilton and Mrs. John Theus were responsible for this setting.

The Christmas tree was perfect. Mrs. Travis Oliver and Mrs. James Sparks had given it the magic touch. The handmade angels were especially attractive. Gifts were piled high under the tree and the toys were placed around it.

One long table displayed all sorts of handmade things. Especially professional looking were Mrs. J. C. Ernests' Reindeer and Santa which she had molded and baked in her own kiln. Mrs. Ed Daltan was also in charge of this table and her cutouts of white paper were wonderful.

Mrs. John Sherrouse had as her committee to decorate the club with greenery Mrs. Walter Reynolds, Mrs. G. A. Boyd, Mrs. Russell Kynock and Mrs. Grayson Gutherie. They were also responsible for the attractive furniture placements. Mrs. Raymond Cammack painted the angels that decorated the windows.

Four past presidents served during the afternoon: Mrs. W. R. Wooten, Miss Emma Lou Biedenharn, Mrs. Fred Fudickar and Mrs. A. E. Montgomery. Beautiful Christmas music was rendered by Mrs. James Brothers and Mrs. Grayson Gutherie.

Bono Nostrorum Club Has Guest Speaker

The Bono Nostrorum Club met in regular session in the home of Mrs. E. D. Baker, with Mrs. Mary Laird and Mrs. R. N. McIntyre as co-hostesses.

Mr. Parkenson of Northeast College was welcomed and introduced to the assembled guests. He is assistant professor of English and Dramatic Art at the college.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. H. L. Murray, who asked that Mrs. C. W. Jones lead in prayer. The salute to the flag was then led by the president, after which she turned the meeting over to the program chairman, Mrs. Baker.

After a few brief introductory words, Mrs. Baker introduced Mr. Parkenson as the speaker of the evening. His subject was "Television Versus Radio and the Home." He said in part: Some people are like the old farmer who, when asked if he hadn't seen many changes in his time, answered, "Yep! Been agin every one of them, too."

Television will not take the place of good shows or radio programs just as neither of the latter hurt other musical instruments too much. They are still on the market.

The parents who supervise the programs their children see will help to make them more intelligent, better informed, and give them a world outlook no other generation has had. Those who do not control the programs will find TV a bad influence. Those who comment on TV say the American public will talk less, give more time to family life, and feel their family unit is more closely drawn together.

Television will be used more and more in the field of education. Some cities are putting sets in buildings so that children can come to see supervised shows. Some schools are buying sets for educational pictures. Others will. Northeast is planning a series of educational programs instructing the public on safety, science, and civil defense.

TV is the window of the world where all can view his favorite sport, program, or political leader. The latter will find he has to make a good appearance or he won't be elected. Thus younger men and women will be put in office making for a better government because of the fresher outlook.

Delicious refreshments were served to the following: Mesdames E. D. Baker, E. T. Lee, R. N. McIntyre, Maude Parham, Nettie Watson, Mary Laird, Nette Williams, C. N. Underwood, Christine McConnell, B. N. Hixon, H. L. Murray, C. E. Tillman, C. W. Jones, and Misses Virgie Evans, Ethel Watson, and Kate Talbert.

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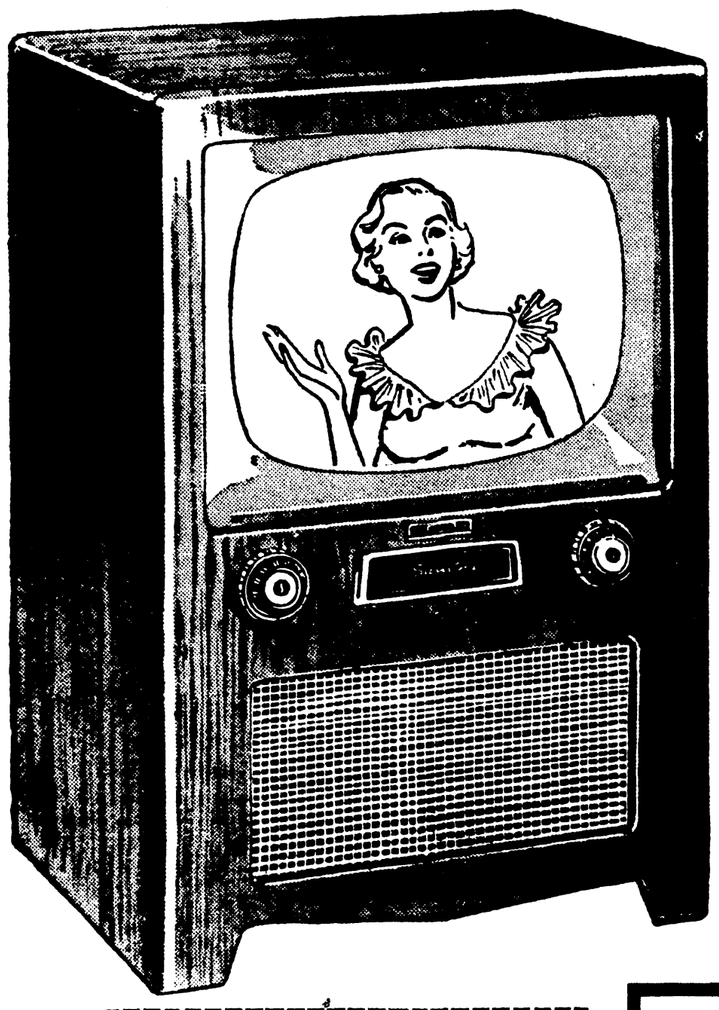

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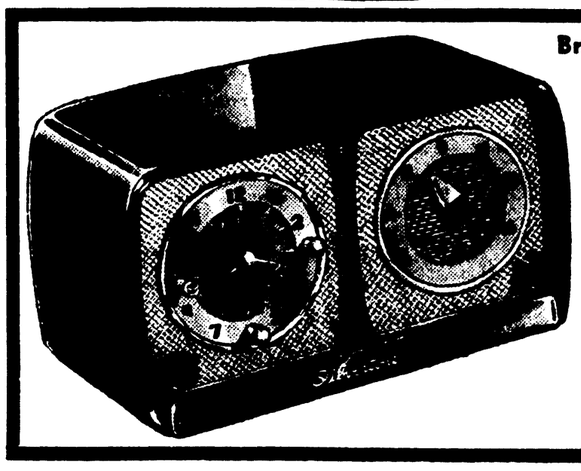

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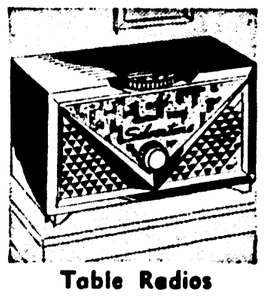

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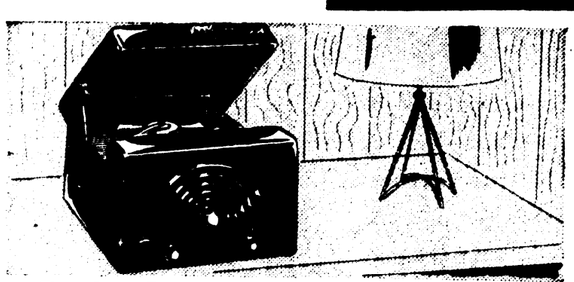

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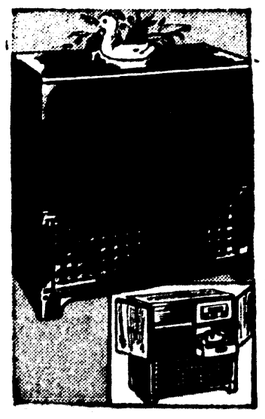

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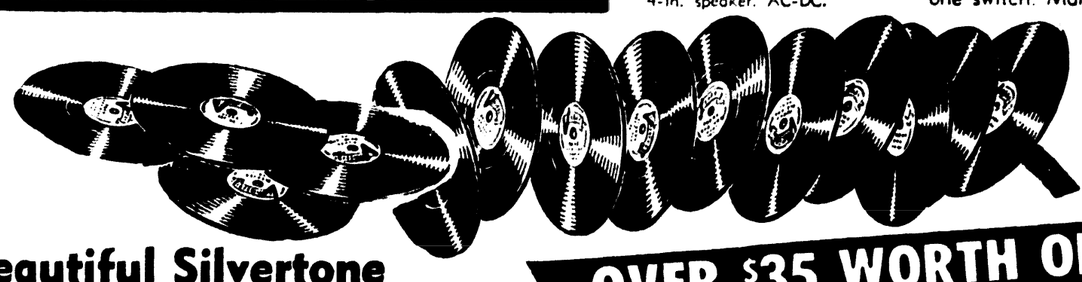

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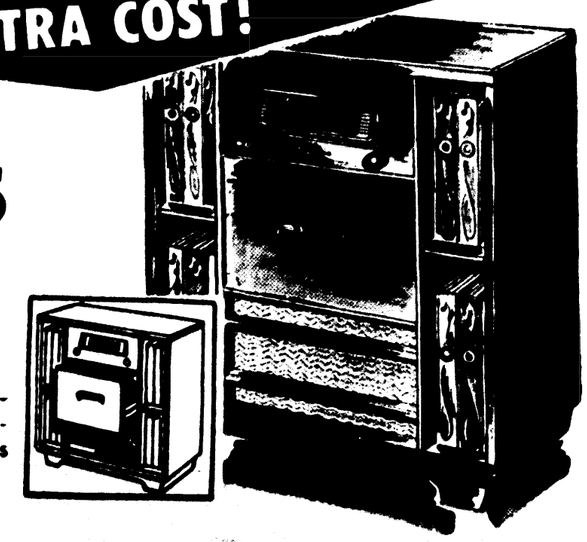

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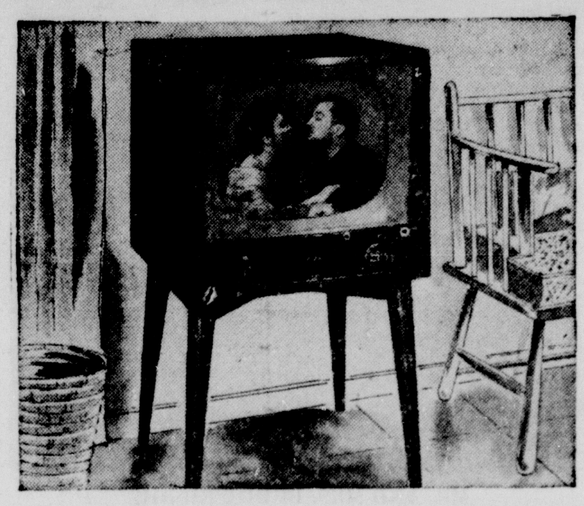

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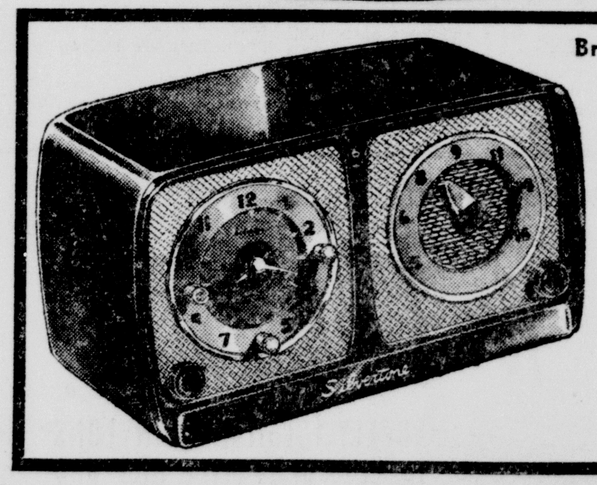

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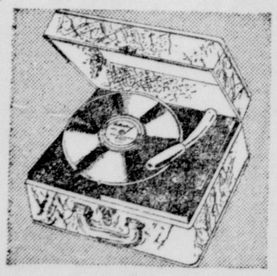

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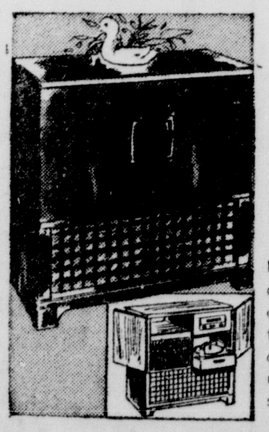

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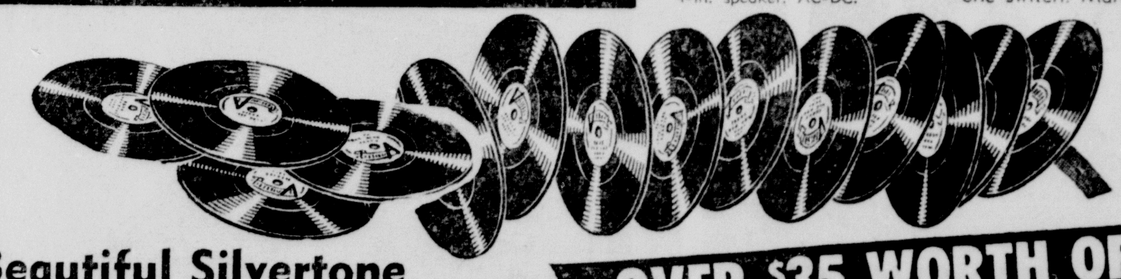

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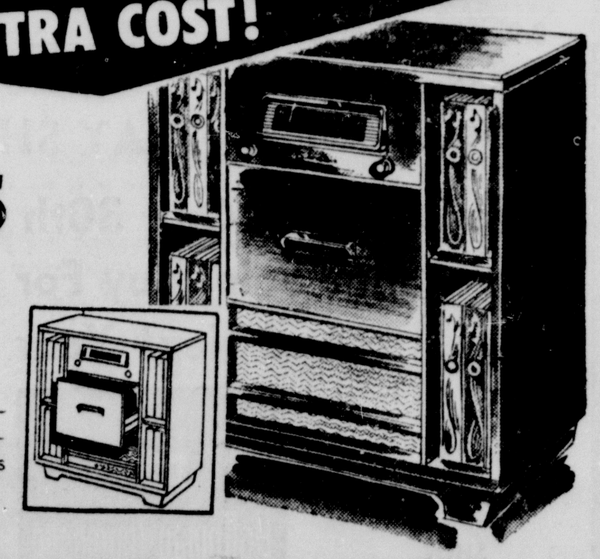

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Home Ceremony Unites Couple

The marriage of Miss Bobbie Gene Ryals and Archie Z. Hinton was solemnized Wednesday evening at eight o'clock in the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Jack Hampton and Mr. Hampton, in West Monroe. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willie H. Ryals of Delhi. The bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Hinton of Quitman. Rev. A. T. Mitchell, pastor of the Ridge Avenue Baptist Church, officiated.

The place of ceremony was decorated with greenery and standards holding baskets of white carnations were placed on either side of the mantel where the couple stood to repeat their vows.

The bride was given in marriage by her father and wore a suit of rose wool. Her accessories were black and she wore a corsage of white carnations. Miss Mary Alice Parker served as maid of honor and wore a suit of navy blue and a corsage of white carnations.

Best man was the bridegroom's brother, Carson Hinton of West Monroe.

Immediately following the ceremony a reception was held. The bride's table was centered with a tiered wedding cake. An arrangement of pink blossoms also decorated the table and a crystal punch bowl holding pink punch was served from the other end of the table. Mrs. Thomas Zeagler served the punch. Mrs. Jack Hampton, Miss Billie Ruth Ryals, sisters of the bride and Miss Mary Alice Parker presided over the cake.

The bride's mother chose for the occasion, a faille suit of sand beige with accessories of brown. Her corsage was of pink carnations. Mrs. Hinton was wearing a black wool crepe and her flowers were pink.

Later in the evening the couple left on their wedding trip and on their return will be at home in Monroe.

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Guests at the wedding were: Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Zeagler, Mr. and Mrs. George E. Fletcher, Mrs. Elsie Webb, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Blazier, Mr. and Mrs. Levon Hinton and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. La Velle Womack and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Poda, Miss Billie Ruth Ryals, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ryals of Delhi, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Hinton of Quitman, Mr. and Mrs. Carson Hinton and daughter, and Miss Mary Alice Parker.

When changing the water of flowers, it is wise to flush the vase out carefully to kill bacteria. It is also a good idea to sprinkle a little water on the leaves and blossoms. You'll delay wilting if you cut about a half inch off the stems every few days.

Girl Scout News

Just think! Christmas is this very week. As always it comes too soon for some of us who think, "Oh, if I had only a little more time!" and not soon enough for those youngsters who await the season so eagerly.

Most Girl Scout troops are living up to their motto, "Be Prepared" and have been working on Christmas plans for several weeks.

An especially busy troop for the past few weeks has been troop 21, made up of fifth and sixth grade girls at Ouachita Parish Grammar School. The troop recently registered for its second year, with a complete change of leadership. Mrs. Shirley Boyd and Mrs. T. N. Carter are leaders, while Mrs. Ruby Hanson and Mrs. Lester Dollar form the troop committee.

On a recent meeting day, a part of the troop went to the Singer Sewing Machine Company where they learned to make different kinds of seams. The girls who didn't want to sew held a regular meeting on that day. Bobbylea Cooper, Peggy and Lester Dollar, Lyvonne McCormick, Tommie Sue Whitfield, and Barbara Wiggins, who like to sew, dressed dolls for the Salvation Army.

Listening to the Girl Scout records and Christmas carol records proved an interesting activity for Troop 21 recently. According to their leaders, the girls love to sing and enjoyed learning some new songs. As a result, they have planned caroling for Wednesday evening, December 23.

And for more community service the girls made adorable little angels for tray favors to give to a hospital at Christmas. The girls plan to have lunch together on their meeting day the week after Christmas, to visit the television station soon and to work on the cook badge in January. Carol Borsch and Tavie Kenny have been elected to the Girl Planning board and Tonie is also troop secretary. Other girls registered in Troop 21 are Mary Clare Hanson, Glenda McClain, Janie Mae Osborn, Linda Williams Trimble, Ruth Walker and Janice Wilson.

Friday of last week Troop 31 combined its Christmas service a fun into one big affair. Beginning at six o'clock, the girls went to the Cooley Sanatorium where they sang carols for the patients and left boxes of fruit and candies, made by the girls themselves, for attendants to distribute. From there the girls went to the home of Anne Ragland for their Christmas party.

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The place of ceremony was decorated with greenery and standards holding baskets of white carnations were placed on either side of the mantel where the couple stood to repeat their vows.

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Best man was the bridegroom's brother, Carson Hinton of West Monroe.

Immediately following the ceremony a reception was held. The bride's table was centered with a tiered wedding cake. An arrangement of pink blossoms also decorated the table and a crystal punch bowl holding pink punch was served from the other end of the table. Mrs. Thomas Zeagler served the punch. Mrs. Jack Hampton, Miss Billie Ruth Ryals, sisters of the bride and Miss Mary Alice Parker presided over the cake.

The bride's mother chose for the occasion, a faille suit of sand beige with accessories of brown. Her corsage was of pink carnations. Mrs. Hinton was wearing a black wool crepe and her flowers were pink.

Later in the evening the couple left on their wedding trip and on their return will be at home in Monroe.

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Girl Scout News

Just think! Christmas is this very week. As always it comes too soon for some of us who think, "Oh, if I had only a little more time!" and not soon enough for those youngsters who await the season so eagerly.

Most Girl Scout troops are living up to their motto, "Be Prepared" and have been working on Christmas plans for several weeks.

An especially busy troop for the past few weeks has been troop 21, made up of fifth and sixth grade girls at Ouachita Parish Grammar School. The troop recently registered for its second year, with a complete change of leadership. Mrs. Shirley Boyd and Mrs. T. N. Carter are leaders, while Mrs. Ruby Hanson and Mrs. Lester Dollar form the troop committee.

On a recent meeting day, a part of the troop went to the Singer Sewing Machine Company where they learned to make different kinds of seams. The girls who didn't want to sew held a regular meeting on that day. Bobbylea Cooper, Peggy and Lester Dollar, Lyvonne McCormick, Tommie Sue Whitfield, and Barbara Wiggins, who like to sew, dressed dolls for the Salvation Army.

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And for more community service the girls made adorable little angels for tray favors to give to a hospital at Christmas. The girls plan to have lunch together on their meeting day the week after Christmas, to visit the television station soon and to work on the cook badge in January. Carol Borsch and Tavie Kenny have been elected to the Girl Planning board and Tonie is also troop secretary. Other girls registered in Troop 21 are Mary Clare Hanson, Glenda McClain, Janie Mae Osborn, Linda Williams Trimble, Ruth Walker and Janice Wilson.

Friday of last week Troop 31 combined its Christmas service a fun into one big affair. Beginning at six o'clock, the girls went to the Cooley Sanatorium where they sang carols for the patients and left boxes of fruit and candies, made by the girls themselves, for attendants to distribute. From there the girls went to the home of Anne Ragland for their Christmas party.

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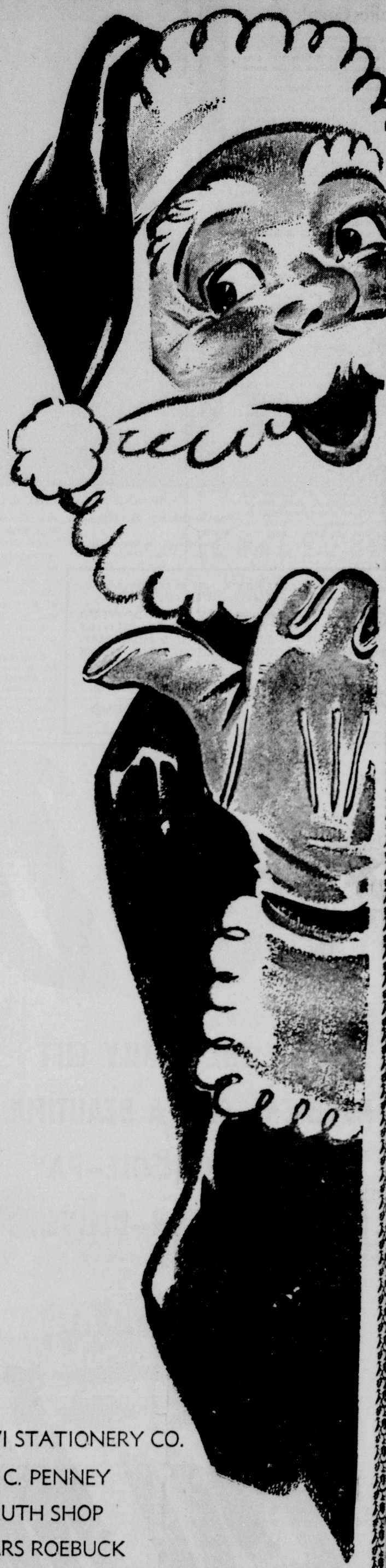

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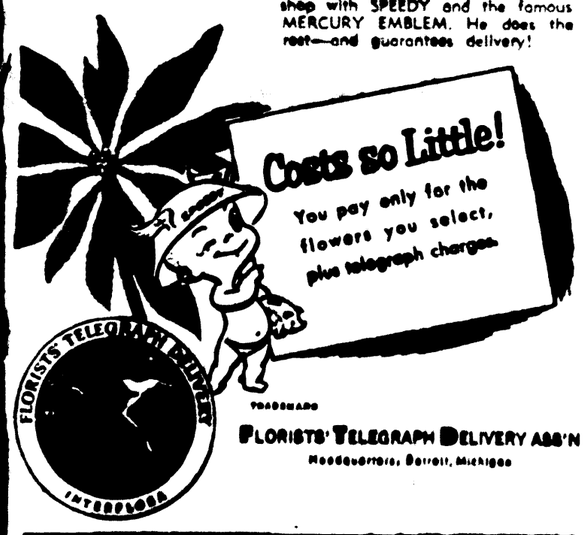

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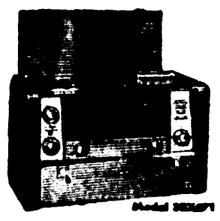

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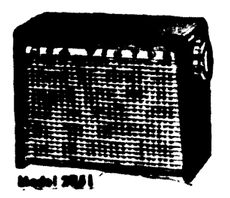

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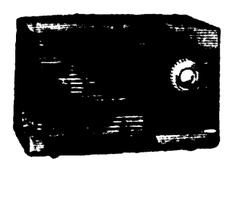

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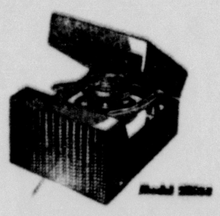

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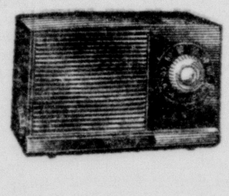

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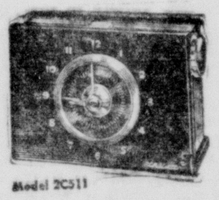

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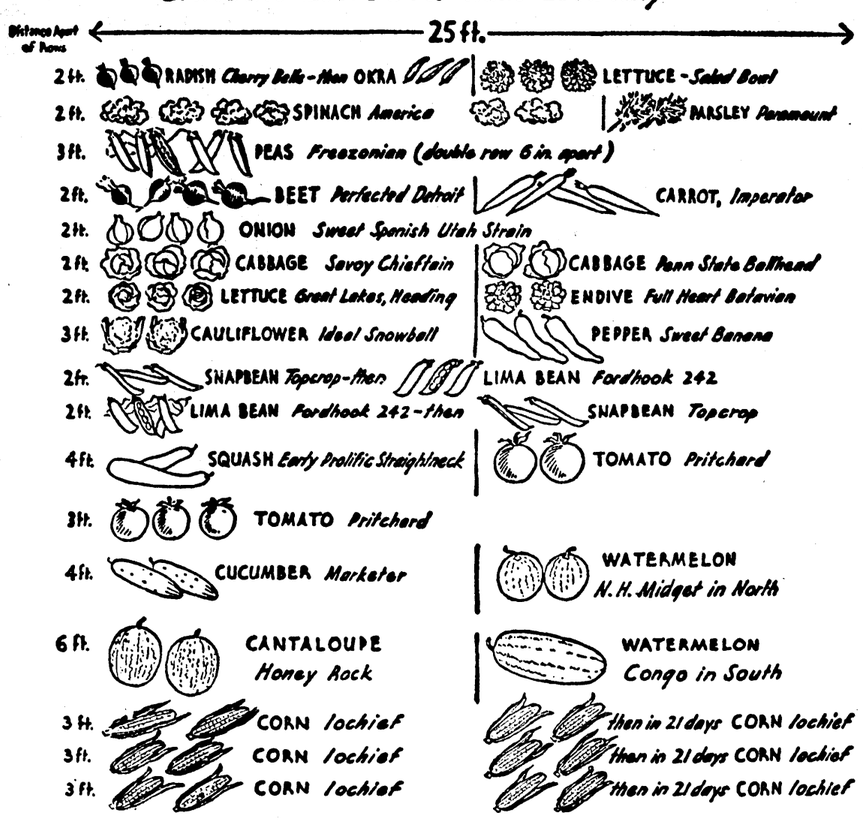

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Time to go. Tune in KNOE-TV Tuesday at 2:45 and see Peggy Garnett work up some Christmas decorations.

See you next Sunday. Merry Christmas!

Healthy teeth are essential for a pretty smile, so don't neglect visits to the dentist.

Garden News

Southern Gardener

By WILLIAM LANIER HUNT

Winter Is Here

Our off-again, on-again winter season is here again. Although the days can be sunshiny—sometimes almost balmy — nevertheless, the temperature may go down to around zero for an hour or so during the nights. Don't let Jack Frost steal your camellia buds. He will get them if he can from now till the end of January or even in February just before time for some of the finest varieties to bloom up here away from the coast. Remember that the bushes are perfectly hardy, or most varieties are, to the cold, but the buds are not so hardy. They are full of sap at this time when they are getting ready to open. The little stem which holds each bud is a very tiny thing, too. It can freeze and drop the bud on the ground if the thermoter gets low enough to actually freeze it all the way through.

Cold wind is the worst enemy of tender plants or buds. Most of our cold spells ride in on a very cold wind that gets colder and colder by the hour. Protect your plants from these winds by putting up some strong stakes heavy enough to stand up and prevent the cloth covering over the plants from touching the outside leaves. A few inches of space between leaves and covering seem to be a good thing. During warm days, you may remove the top part of the covering if you like and let the sunshine in. This is a dangerous thing to do, however, if the night before has been very cold. If the buds thaw out too fast in the sunshine, a great many of them will drop off. The best thing you can do to thaw out buds when you think they have been exposed to very low temperatures is to spray the plants with a fine spray from the hose or the sprinkler. Do not hit the plants with big drops. Camellia buds are easy to knock off now, anyway, and you might pop them right off. One thickness of toe sacking, if it is not the very thick kind, will usually let in enough sunshine without damaging buds.

We Southerners are apt to forget that all our plants that have evergreen leaves can suffer from drought right in the winter. This is especially true of broadleaf evergreens which you have just transplanted this Fall. Even plants set out last year can suffer. Just remember to water them occasionally during January and February. When cold winds suddenly come in, they can burn evergreens in need of water, too. Even the ones that have not been recently transplanted suffer from wind when they are in a dry condition. Some of the worst winter storm damage has frequently been caused by sudden cold windy weather when things were fairly dry. So water your camellias and other special plants when you get a report that a cold spell is on the way. They will go through it easier than when they are dry.

Some small plants and tender evergreens like the little low gardenia are especially subject to frost damage in the middle of the winter. This may be because they are so low to the ground where the frosts hit them hard. Almost any protection at all will help such plants. One of the easiest kinds of protection to put on is clean fresh pine straw. Sprinkle it down over the plants and let it sort of fill in the spaces till it almost hides the plants from view. Pine straw is stiff and will not hold water when it rains. The air can circulate right through it and keep the foliage live and healthy. Frost does not do much damage to this foliage because the temperature cannot get very low under the straw and because the sun cannot strike the foliage in the morning and thaw it out too fast. It is this too rapid thawing which "burns" plants, as the nurserymen say. Your pansies will grow and bloom under the pine straw covering. You can even grow radishes under it, too. For the sweet peas which have already come up, it is just the thing. In our section, it is always risky to plant sweet peas in the Fall because they have a way of getting killed after they are about six or eight inches high. If you have a row already up now, you will have to cover them in some way or you run the definite risk of having them freeze during one of the sudden cold snaps which are coming up. The sunny days make the vines grow to such a size that they will get too high to escape the cold winds. Then they either get their tops killed or they freeze back into the ground.

You may get an Ardisia for a present. It is that beautiful little plant with thick green leaves and bunches of red berries that stand out on the ends of the branches.

Plant 'Food' When Planting, Transplanting

The addition of some sort of fertilizer to the soil at time of planting is an advisable practice when transplanting trees and shrubs.

One must be sure with bare-root plants that the fertilizer is well mixed with the soil prior to planting, for fear of burning the roots.

Highly important to the welfare of plants is phosphorous and since it moves very slowly the best way to get it well distributed in the vicinity of the roots is to mix it with the soil used in the back fill.

The simplest way to add phosphorus to the soil is to use a complete fertilizer with an analysis of 4-12-4, or something similar. Such a fertilizer includes nitrogen and potash, the other nutrient elements essential to plant life.

In soils especially deficient in phosphorus it is advisable to add to the complete fertilizer, five pounds of 20 per cent superphosphate for each cubic yard of soil. The suggested application of 4-12-4 fertilizer at planting time, to be thoroughly mixed with the soil used in the back fill about the roots, is 10 pounds per cubic yard of soil.

Trees growing in lawns need to be supplied each year with an abundance of plant food. For best results the fertilizer should be placed deep in the soil so that it is readily available to the roots.

Many home gardeners believe that feeding the lawn also feeds the trees. But more plant food than the turf requires must be supplied so that some will get past the grass roots.

The best method of tree feeding for the home gardener is to make holes with a crowbar or soil augur, and fill them with a mixture of sand, peat moss and fertilizer then flood each with water.

The holes should be 12 inches deep and two to three feet apart in three or four circles about the tree.

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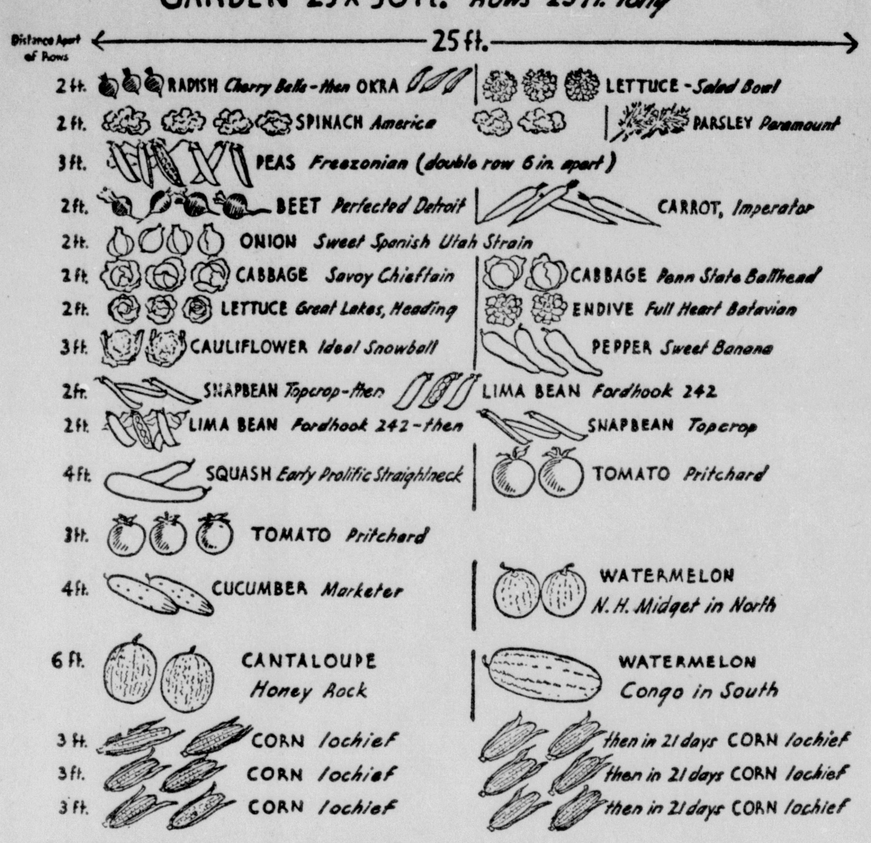

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Monroe Garden Club Show

"Make your own Merry Christmas" was truly demonstrated at the Monroe Garden Club show Tuesday. A most beautiful Christmas table was set up, so simple and easy to do. It was layed with a red linen table cloth, a large red candle in the center with green Christmas balls piled around the candle in a diamond shape. A large ball was hanging from each four corners of the table. The children's room was a delightful scene. So many simple easy decorations the little ones could make. A share in the responsibilities in the festivities will be remembered happily when today's children are tomorrow's builders of families.

Time to go. Tune in KNOE-TV Tuesday at 2:45 and see Peggy Garnett work up some Christmas decorations.

See you next Sunday. Merry Christmas!

Healthy teeth are essential for a pretty smile, so don't neglect visits to the dentist.

Garden News

Southern Gardener

By WILLIAM LANIER HUNT

Winter Is Here

Our off-again, on-again winter season is here again. Although the days can be sunshiny—sometimes almost balmy — nevertheless, the temperature may go down to around zero for an hour or so during the nights. Don't let Jack Frost steal your camellia buds. He will get them if he can from now till the end of January or even in February just before time for some of the finest varieties to bloom up here away from the coast. Remember that the bushes are perfectly hardy, or most varieties are, to the cold, but the buds are not so hardy. They are full of sap at this time when they are getting ready to open. The little stem which holds each bud is a very tiny thing, too. It can freeze and drop the bud on the ground if the thermoter gets low enough to actually freeze it all the way through.

Cold wind is the worst enemy of tender plants or buds. Most of our cold spells ride in on a very cold wind that gets colder and colder by the hour. Protect your plants from these winds by putting up some strong stakes heavy enough to stand up and prevent the cloth covering over the plants from touching the outside leaves. A few inches of space between leaves and covering seem to be a good thing. During warm days, you may remove the top part of the covering if you like and let the sunshine in. This is a dangerous thing to do, however, if the night before has been very cold. If the buds thaw out too fast in the sunshine, a great many of them will drop off. The best thing you can do to thaw out buds when you think they have been exposed to very low temperatures is to spray the plants with a fine spray from the hose or the sprinkler. Do not hit the plants with big drops. Camellia buds are easy to knock off now, anyway, and you might pop them right off. One thickness of toe sacking, if it is not the very thick kind, will usually let in enough sunshine without damaging buds.

We Southerners are apt to forget that all our plants that have evergreen leaves can suffer from drought right in the winter. This is especially true of broadleaf evergreens which you have just transplanted this Fall. Even plants set out last year can suffer. Just remember to water them occasionally during January and February. When cold winds suddenly come in, they can burn evergreens in need of water, too. Even the ones that have not been recently transplanted suffer from wind when they are in a dry condition. Some of the worst winter storm damage has frequently been caused by sudden cold windy weather when things were fairly dry. So water your camellias and other special plants when you get a report that a cold spell is on the way. They will go through it easier than when they are dry.

Some small plants and tender evergreens like the little low gardenia are especially subject to frost damage in the middle of the winter. This may be because they are so low to the ground where the frosts hit them hard. Almost any protection at all will help such plants. One of the easiest kinds of protection to put on is clean fresh pine straw. Sprinkle it down over the plants and let it sort of fill in the spaces till it almost hides the plants from view. Pine straw is stiff and will not hold water when it rains. The air can circulate right through it and keep the foliage live and healthy. Frost does not do much damage to this foliage because the temperature cannot get very low under the straw and because the sun cannot strike the foliage in the morning and thaw it out too fast. It is this too rapid thawing which "burns" plants, as the nurserymen say. Your pansies will grow and bloom under the pine straw covering. You can even grow radishes under it, too. For the sweet peas which have already come up, it is just the thing. In our section, it is always risky to plant sweet peas in the Fall because they have a way of getting killed after they are about six or eight inches high. If you have a row already up now, you will have to cover them in some way or you run the definite risk of having them freeze during one of the sudden cold snaps which are coming up. The sunny days make the vines grow to such a size that they will get too high to escape the cold winds. Then they either get their tops killed or they freeze back into the ground.

You may get an Ardisia for a present. It is that beautiful little plant with thick green leaves and bunches of red berries that stand out on the ends of the branches.

Plant 'Food' When Planting, Transplanting

The addition of some sort of fertilizer to the soil at time of planting is an advisable practice when transplanting trees and shrubs.

One must be sure with bare-root plants that the fertilizer is well mixed with the soil prior to planting, for fear of burning the roots.

Highly important to the welfare of plants is phosphorous and since it moves very slowly the best way to get it well distributed in the vicinity of the roots is to mix it with the soil used in the back fill.

The simplest way to add phosphorus to the soil is to use a complete fertilizer with an analysis of 4-12-4, or something similar. Such a fertilizer includes nitrogen and potash, the other nutrient elements essential to plant life.

In soils especially deficient in phosphorus it is advisable to add to the complete fertilizer, five pounds of 20 per cent superphosphate for each cubic yard of soil. The suggested application of 4-12-4 fertilizer at planting time, to be thoroughly mixed with the soil used in the back fill about the roots, is 10 pounds per cubic yard of soil.

Trees growing in lawns need to be supplied each year with an abundance of plant food. For best results the fertilizer should be placed deep in the soil so that it is readily available to the roots.

Many home gardeners believe that feeding the lawn also feeds the trees. But more plant food than the turf requires must be supplied so that some will get past the grass roots.

The best method of tree feeding for the home gardener is to make holes with a crowbar or soil augur, and fill them with a mixture of sand, peat moss and fertilizer and then flood each with water.

The holes should be 12 inches deep and two to three feet apart in three or four circles about the tree.

After washing leather gloves roll them in a turkish towel from finger tips to cuffs. Knead for a few minutes; unroll and blow into the fingers to shape them properly. Lay on dry towel to dry. When still dampe, work leather gently with fingers until pliable.

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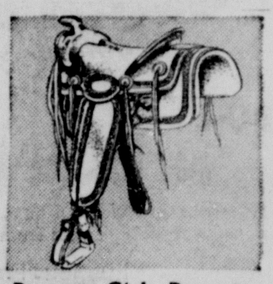

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3:15—Look Upward	2:30—Bob Crosby Show*
3:30—Women's World	3:00—Action In Afternoon*
4:00—What's Cooking	3:30—On Your Account*
4:30—Parade Of Stars	4:00—Shoppers Guide
4:55—Crusader Rabbit	4:30—Pantry Party
5:00—Two Gun Playhouse	5:00—Captain Video*
6:00—The Story Lady	5:15—Marge & Jeff*
6:15—Sports With Ed Head	5:30—Music In The Air
6:30—News	5:45—Armed Forces Show
6:45—(To Be Announced)	6:00—News
7:00—Tall Texan	6:10—TV Weatherman
7:15—Movie Quick Quiz	6:15—Sports Whirl
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8:00—The Doodler	6:30—Selected Film
8:30—Front Page Detective	7:00—Godfrey And Friends*
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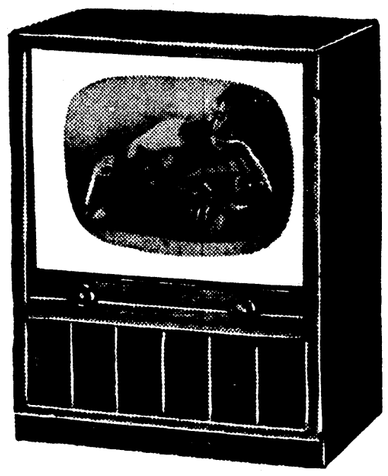

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3:45—Look Upward	2:45—Homemakers—Mildred Swift
4:00—What's Cooking	3:00—Action In The Afternoon*
4:30—Parade Of Stars	3:30—On Your Account*
4:55—Crusader Rabbit	4:00—Shoppers Guide
5:00—Two Gun Playhouse	4:30—Pantry Party
6:00—The Story Lady	5:00—Captain Video*
6:15—Spts With Ed Head	5:15—Marge & Jeff*
6:25—To Be Announced	5:30—Music In The Air
6:30—News	5:45—Uncle Gene And Rusty
6:45—(To Be Announced)	6:00—News
7:00—Tall Texan	6:10—TV Weatherman
7:15—Movie Quick Quiz	6:15—Sports Whirl
7:30—(To Be Announced)	6:30—Art Linkletter
8:00—The Doodler	6:45—Harry Liner Show
8:30—Jackson and Jill	7:00—Special TV Show*
8:00—Starlite Theatre News Sign Off	8:00—Danny Thomas* 8:30—Bishop Sheen* 9:00—Judge For Yourself* 9:30—Dollar A Second* 10:00—News Weather and Sports 10:05—Sign Off *Network Shows

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3:55—News	2:25—Devotional
4:00—To Be Announced	2:30—Sat. Matinee (Double Feature)
4:30—Birthday Party	5:30—The Pastor
5:00—Western Film	5:45—To Be Announced
5:30—Western Film	6:00—Meet Millie*
6:00—News and Sports	6:30—Ethel And Albert*
6:15—To Be Announced	7:00—Jackie Gleason Show*
6:30—To Be Announced	8:00—Two For The Money*
7:00—Tall Texan	8:30—Show of Shows*
7:15—Tall Texan	9:00—Medallion Theater*
7:30—Bill Nettles Show	9:30—Hit Parade*
8:00—To Be Announced	10:00—News, Weather and Sports
8:30—Hollywood Half Hour	10:05—Sign Off
9:00—Starlite Theatre News Sign Off	*Network Shows

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3:45—Look Upward	2:45—Garry Moore Show*
4:00—What's Cooking	3:00—Action In The Afternoon*
4:30—Parade Of Stars	3:30—The Electric Kitchen
4:55—Crusader Rabbit	4:00—Shoppers Guide
5:00—Two Gun Playhouse	4:30—Pantry Party
6:00—The Story Lady	5:00—Captain Video*
6:15—Sports With Ed Head	5:15—Marge & Jeff*
6:30—News	5:30—Music In The Air
6:45—To Be Announced	5:45—Uncle Gene And Rusty
7:00—Tall Texan	6:00—News
7:15—Movie Quick Quiz	6:10—TV Weatherman
7:30—Victory At Sea	6:15—Sports Whirl
8:00—The Doodler	6:25—TV Scoops
8:30—I Im The Law	6:30—Selected Film
9:00—Starlite Theatre News Sign Off	6:45—Hymns By Request 7:00—Bet Your Life, Groucho Marx* 7:30—Ray Bogger Show* 8:00—On Your Way* 8:30—Captured* 9:00—Martin Kane, Private Eye* 9:30—Goodhart Story* 10:00—KNOE-TV Xmas Party 12:00—Christmas From Boys Town 1:00—Sign Off

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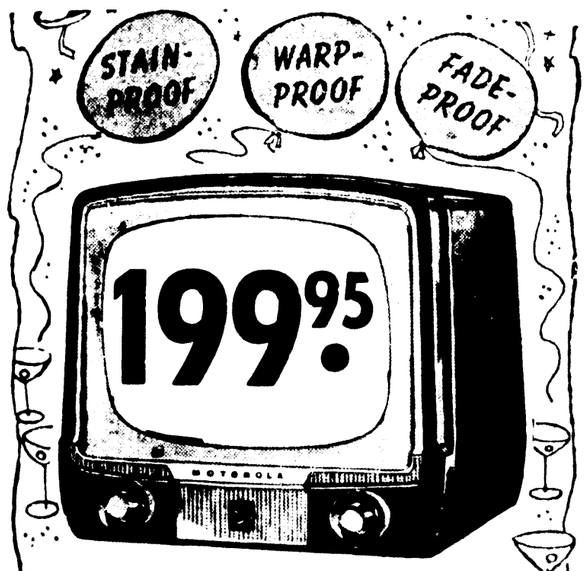

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3:10—News	2:25—Pastor's Study
3:15—Look Upward	2:30—Bob Crosby Show*
3:30—Women's World	3:00—Action in the Afternoon*
3:55—TV Close-Ups	3:30—To Be Announced
4:00—What's Cooking	4:00—Shoppers Guide
4:30—Parade Of Stars	4:30—Pantry Party
4:55—Crusader Rabbit	5:00—Captain Video*
5:00—Two Gun Playhouse	5:15—Marge & Jeff*
6:00—The Story Lady	5:30—Music In The Air
6:15—Spts With Ed Head	5:45—Armed Forces Show
6:30—News	6:00—News
6:45—Paradise Island	6:10—TV Weatherman
7:00—Tall Texan	6:15—Sports Whirl
7:15—Movie Quick Quiz	6:25—You Can Play It
7:30—(To Be Announced)	6:30—I'll Buy That*
8:00—The Doodler	6:45—Selected Film
8:30—I've Got A Problem	7:00—Liberace*
9:00—Public Prosecutor	7:30—Ted Mack's Amateur Hour*
9:15—Penny Park Parade	8:00—I Love Lucy*
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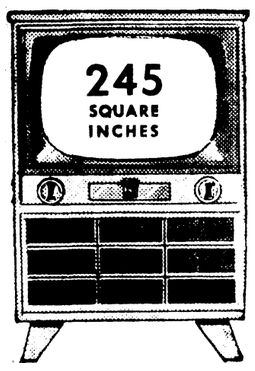

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7:30—(To Be Announced)	8:00—Letter To Loretta*
7:45—Twin City Topics	8:30—I've Got A Secret*
8:00—The Virgin	9:00—Jaycee Roundtable
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5:45—News	2:30—Man Of The Week*
6:00—Freedom Speaks	3:00—Selected Film
6:30—Going Places With Uncle George	3:30—Adventure*
6:45—The Christophers	4:00—Sunday Matinee
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3:40—News	2:40—Pastor's Study
3:45—Look Upward	2:45—Homemakers—Mildred Swift
4:00—What's Cooking	3:00—Action In The Afternoon*
4:30—Parade Of Stars	3:30—On Your Account*
4:55—Crusader Rabbit	4:00—Shoppers Guide
5:00—Two Gun Playhouse	4:30—Pantry Party
6:00—The Story Lady	5:00—Captain Video*
6:15—Spts With Ed Head	5:15—Marge & Jeff*
6:25—To Be Announced	5:30—Music In The Air
6:30—News	5:45—Uncle Gene And Rusty
6:45—(To Be Announced)	6:00—News
7:00—Tall Texan	6:10—TV Weatherman
7:15—Movie Quick Quiz	6:15—Sports Whirl
7:30—(To Be Announced)	6:30—Art Linkletter
8:00—The Doodler	6:45—Harry Liner Show
8:30—Jackson and Jill	7:00—Special TV Show*
9:00—Starlite Theatre	8:00—Danny Thomas*
News	8:30—Bishop Sheen*
Sign Off	9:00—Judge For Yourself*
	9:30—Dollar A Second*
	10:00—News, Weather and Sports
	10:05—Sign Off
	*Network Shows

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SATURDAY

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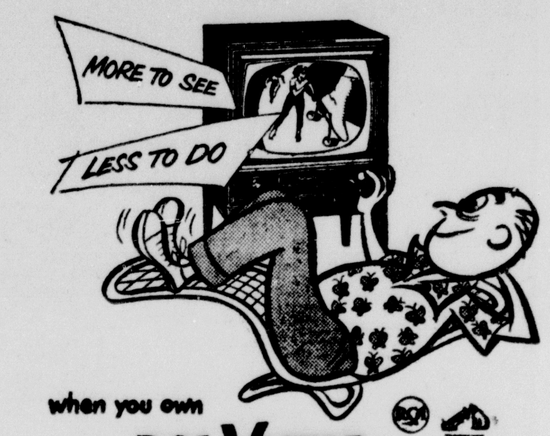
3:53—Sign On	2:15—Teste Pattern and Sign On
3:55—News	2:25—Devotional
4:00—To Be Announced	2:30—Sat. Matinee (Double Feature)
4:30—Birthday Party	5:30—The Pastor
5:00—Western Film	5:45—To Be Announced
5:30—Western Film	6:00—Meet Millie*
6:00—News and Sports	6:30—Ethel And Albert*
6:15—To Be Announced	7:00—Jackie Gleason Show*
6:30—To Be Announced	8:00—Two For The Money*
7:00—Tall Texan	8:30—Show of Shows*
7:15—Tall Texan	9:00—Medallion Theater*
7:30—Bill Nettles Show	9:30—Hit Parade*
8:00—To Be Announced	10:00—News, Weather and Sports
8:30—Hollywood Half Hour	10:05—Sign Off
9:00—Starlite Theatre	*Network Shows
News	
Sign Off	



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THURSDAY

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3:38—Sign On	2:30—Test Pattern and Sign On
3:40—News	2:40—Pastor's Study
3:45—Look Upward	2:45—Garry Moore Show*
4:00—What's Cooking	3:00—Action In The Afternoon*
4:30—Parade Of Stars	3:30—The Electric Kitchen
4:55—Crusader Rabbit	4:00—Shopper's Guide
5:00—Two Gun Playhouse	4:30—Pantry Party
6:00—The Story Lady	5:00—Captain Video*
6:15—Sports With Ed Head	5:15—Marge & Jeff*
6:30—News	5:30—Music In The Air
6:45—To Be Announced	5:45—Uncle Gene And Rusty
7:00—Tall Texan	6:00—News
7:15—Movie Quick Quiz	6:10—TV Weatherman
7:30—Victory At Sea	6:15—Sports Whirl
8:00—The Doodler	6:25—TV Scoops
8:30—I'm The Law	6:30—Selected Film
9:00—Starlite Theatre	6:45—Hymns By Request
News	7:00—Bet Your Life, Groucho Marx*
Sign Off	7:30—Ray Bolger Show*
	8:00—On Your Way*
	8:30—Captured*
	9:00—Martin Kane, Private Eye*
	9:30—Comeback Story*
	10:00—KNOE-TV X'mas Party
	12:00—Christmas From Boys Town
	1:00—Sign Off

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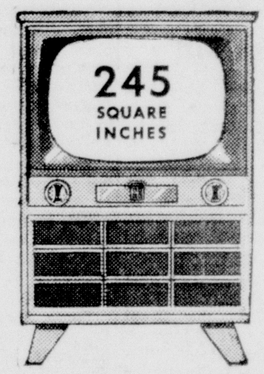

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MONDAY

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3:08—Sign On	2:15—Test Pattern and Sign On
3:10—News	2:25—Pastor's Study
3:15—Look Upward	2:30—Bob Crosby Show*
3:30—Women's World	3:00—Action In The Afternoon*
3:55—TV Close-Ups	3:30—To Be Announced
4:00—What's Cooking	4:00—Shoppers Guide
4:30—Parade Of Stars	4:30—Pantry Party
4:55—Crusader Rabbit	5:00—Captain Video*
5:00—Two Gun Playhouse	5:15—Marge & Jeff*
6:00—The Story Lady	5:30—Music In The Air
6:15—Spts With Ed Head	5:45—Armed Forces Show
6:30—News	6:00—News
6:45—Paradise Island	6:10—TV Weatherman
7:00—Tall Texan	6:15—Sports Whirl
7:15—Movie Quick Quiz	6:25—You Can Play It
7:30—(To Be Announced)	6:30—I'll Buy That*
8:00—The Doodler	6:45—Selected Film
8:30—I've Got A Problem	7:00—Liberace*
9:00—Public Prosecutor	7:30—Ted Mack's Amateur Hour*
9:15—Penny Park Parade	8:00—I Love Lucy*
9:30—Starlite Theatre	8:30—Red Buttons Show*
News	9:00—Studio One*
Sign Off	10:00—News, Weather and Sports
	10:05—Sign Off
	*Network Shows

FRIDAY

KFAZ-TV Channel 43	KNOE-TV Channel 8
3:05—Sign On	Sign On Indefinite
3:10—News	2:00—Joe Santa Claus
3:15—Look Upward	2:30—Bob Crosby Show*
3:30—Women's World	3:00—Action In Afternoon*
4:00—What's Cooking	3:30—On Your Account*
4:30—Parade Of Stars	4:00—Christmas Festival
4:55—Crusader Rabbit	5:00—Captain Video*
5:00—Two Gun Playhouse	5:15—Marge & Jeff*
6:00—The Story Lady	5:30—Music In The Air
6:15—Sports With Ed Head	5:45—Armed Forces Show
6:25—To Be Announced	6:00—News
6:30—News	6:10—TV Weatherman
6:45—To Be Announced	6:15—Sports Whirl
7:00—Tall Texan	6:20—Selected Film
7:15—Movie Quick Quiz	6:45—Selected Film
7:30—(To Be Announced)	7:00—All Star Theatre
7:45—Twin City Topics	7:30—Topper*
8:00—The Visitor	8:00—Christmas For Sweeney
8:30—(To Be Announced)	8:30—Life Of Riley*
9:00—Starlite Theatre	9:00—Special Christmas Show*
News	9:45—Madison Sq. Garden*
Sign Off	10:15—News, Weather, Spts.
	10:20—Sign Off
	NOTE: (Christmas day subject to change without notice because of holiday.)

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The spirit of Christmas will come in true style to West Monroyans next Sunday evening at 9:30 p.m. Representatives from the eighteen Baptist churches in the Trenton Baptist Association will assemble on Trenton Street after Sunday evening services at 9:30 to sing Christmas carols for thirty minutes or more. A space will be roped off for this singing group, also a sound truck, piano and platform is to be furnished by local businessmen.

Eugene Smith, director of the Trenton Baptist Music Association, said that the time was set late to give ample time for representatives from the outlying churches to arrive to participate in the singing. He also urges all other groups, regardless of religious belief, to come help in the carol singing.

After the street sing, various groups will go to institutions and sing Christmas carols there.

Quest Of Magi Theme Of Story Told In Cantata

"The Quest of the Magi" a Christmas story cantata by L. A. Reed and Haldor Lillenas, will be presented by the choir of the Edgewood Baptist Church of West Monroe Sunday evening at 7:30. The choir is under the direction of B. C. Harper. A pageant, showing different scenes will also be given by members of the church.

Selections to be sung are: "Where is He That is Born King of the Jews?", "Has the Great Messiah Come?", "Bethlehem," "Crown the Saviour King," "Behold the Star," "No Room in the Inn," "Gifts of Love," "Glory to God in the Highest!" and "The Wise Men Have Gone."

Tradition Carried Out In Jena Church

JENA, La., Dec. 19. (Special)—Nolley Memorial Methodist Church of Jena will observe its traditional Christmas program of carols and candlelighting at the evening worship hour Sunday, beginning at 7:30 o'clock.

This program, to be presented by the adult choir of the church, is an annual event in the life of the congregation and "is one of the most beautiful and most meaningful services in our church calendar year," the Rev. Otis Spinks, pastor, said.

At the 11 a.m. worship hour Sunday, the pastor will speak on the subject, "The Miracle of Christmas."

Rev. Spinks and the congregation extend a cordial welcome to the public to attend these special Christmas services.

Christmas Program Planned At Cleft Rock

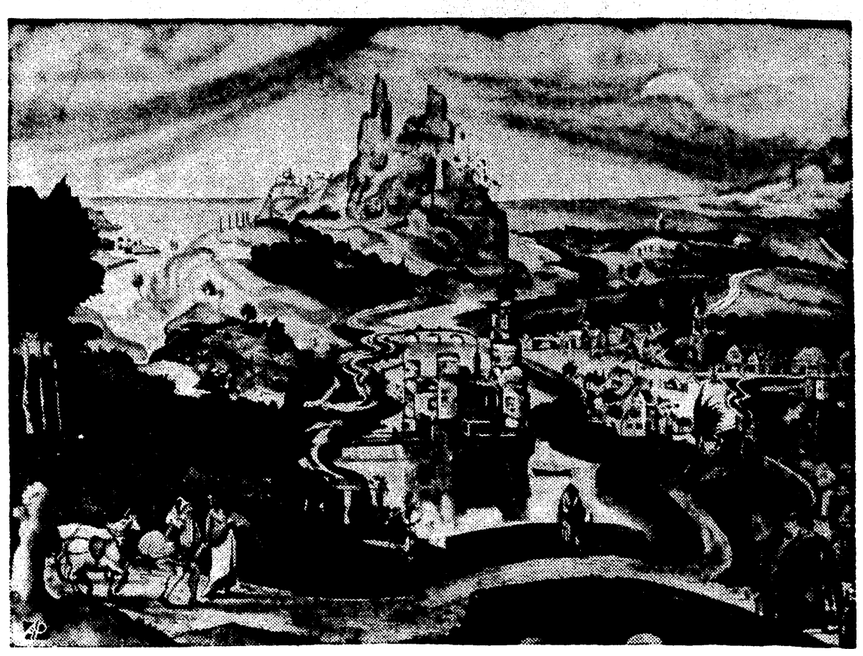
Donald McGough, Cleft Rock choir director, announces that the girls' chorus will present a Christmas program entitled "The Song of Christmas." Narrator is Patricia McGough and directing the juniors in the scenes are Jeanette Flowers and Mrs. R. L. Hendrix.

The director and girls are spending many hours in the preparation of the program. Last year the girls' ensemble of the choir received a top rating at the district festival for their splendid work.

Donald McGough will serve at the piano.

There are thirteen members of the girls' chorus and seven in the ensemble, when they present "The Song of Christmas" Wednesday, December 23 at 8 p. m. The church is on Winnsboro road. The public is cordially invited.

The Arrival In Bethlehem



AND SO IT WAS— And Joseph also went up from Galilee, out of the city of Nazareth, into Judea unto the city of David, which is called Bethlehem; (because he was of the house and lineage of David:) To be taxed with Mary his espoused wife, being great with child. And so it was, that, while they were there, the days were accomplished that she should be delivered. — Luke 2:4-6.

Christmas Joy Gift Service In Church Tonight

Final plans are being completed for the annual Christmas joy gift service at the First Presbyterian Church. This candle light service will be held December 20 at 5:30 p. m. in the church sanctuary. Mrs. C. K. Crandall is in charge of the program entitled, "The Light of Life."

The Rev. W. H. McFadden, minister, will be the leader for the service and will be assisted by Ben Patterson and I. T. Landhy, readers. Mr. Bobby Johnson will be the candle lighter. Mary and Joseph will be portrayed by Mrs. Ray Magruder and W. V. Roy. The primary, junior, pioneer and adult choirs will participate in the singing of Christmas Carols.

The offering taken at this service is given to the retired ministers of the Presbyterian Church to support them and their families. There are approximately six hundred and thirty-six families who are supported by this annual offering.

Jena Baptists To Have Yule Program

JENA, La., Dec. 19. (Special)—Members of the First Baptist Church of Jena will be treated to a Christmas program of music, presented by the choir, at the Sunday evening worship service.

Various members of the choir will be featured in special numbers, including Johnette Moses and Ann Carraway in a duet, "O Little Town of Bethlehem," Ted Oberon singing the traditional "First Noel," and a trio of Mrs. J. H. Hall, Mrs. H. G. Green and Mrs. Bob Owens in "O Little Boy Jesus."

Erma Dell Jones will be soloist with the choir in the presentation of "O Holy Night" and the male quartet of Elmo and W. D. Tullos, John Barrett and Ezell Taylor will present "It Came Upon a Midnight Clear."

Cold tea is an excellent fertilizer for house plants. It also acts as an insecticide.

COLLEGE PLACE BAPTISTS—This church at tonight's service will present "The Choi of Bethlehem." with Mrs. L. N. Blair director. Members of the choir shown above.

Bethlehem Choir Being Presented In College Pl.

The church choir of College Place Baptist will be presented in a cantata "The Choir of Bethlehem" Sunday at 7:30 p.m. Mrs. L. N. Blair is choir director and will be accompanied by Mrs. C. L. Dillingham, organist and Mrs. T. Earl Ogg, pianist.

Soloists will be Mrs. Don Hoyem, Miss Irma Grace Stevens, Max Dillingham, Mrs. C. W. Thacker, Miss Jane Blanchard and Mr. George Vaughan.

The music for this cantata w written by Noel Benson and t by Edith Sanford Tillotson. T church will be decorated appro riately by women of the missi ary union all in white as the Lot Moon Christmas for foreign m sions will be received at the clo of the service.

The public is cordially invited

CHOIR OF FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF STERLINGTON—Members of the choir of th First Baptist Church will present a pageant at the church in Sterlington tonight at 7:3 p. m., portraying the Nativity. Members are: Left to right, first row, Jane Puckett, Lesli Amos, Gail Simmons, Mrs. M. M. Funderburk, Mrs. M. F. Sheeton, Lillian Carter, Mr J. F. Kennedy. Second row, Mrs. Lamar Rogers, Lael Puckett, Mrs. Brady Dean, Joa Amos, Sara Matkins, Wanda Garrett, Bobby Gail Garrett, Shirley Gulley, Mrs. T. J. Welc Third row, Brady Dean, Emmett English, Charles McBeth, Jerry Carter, Charles Puck ett, W. A. Bradshaw, John Gray, and Lamar Rogers.

Come To Church Sunday

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At the Morning Worship, beginning at 10:50, the pastor's sermon subject will be "Glory, Peace and Joy."

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.

Training Union and Brotherhood — 6:30 p.m.

At the Evening Services which start at 7:30, there will be a special music program by the combined choirs.

There will be a Lottie Moon Christmas Play and program at the Prayer Meeting hour on Wednesday night at 7:30. The Public has a special invitation to come and worship with us at any of these services and programs. Take a Southside bus which brings you directly to the church doors.

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Rev H. B. Dean, Pastor; Eugene Smith, Music Director;
Mary Jane Dreasler, Pianist.
Sunday School 9:30 a. m. George Parker, Superintendent.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Training Union 6:30 p.m. Gary Parrish, Director.
Brotherhood Meeting 6:30 p.m. J .E. Wikes, President.
Christmas Program 7:30 p.m.
The W. M. U. will not meet this week.
The Youth Organizations and the Group Prayer meetings will begin at 7:00 p.m. Wednesday.
Regular Prayer Service begins at 7:45 p.m.
Choir will practice at 8:15 p.m.
Everyone is extended a cordial invitation to come worship with us.

TEMPLE BAPTIST CHURCH
601 Plum St.

W. Leon Ivey, pastor

A cordial invitation is extended to everyone to worship with the Temple Baptist Church on Lord's Day.

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning worship, 11:00 a.m.
Ordination service, 3:30 p.m.
Training Union 6:00 p.m.
Evening worship, 7:15 p.m.

You will find a class for every age group in our Sunday school and Training Union. Attendance at the worship services has been good in spite of bad weather, and we have had good services. Last Sunday four were added to church on profession of faith and one by letter.

At 3:30 p.m. the church will orgain Lee Deason as the pastoral minister. Mr. Deason an ex-student has served a year and one-half, coming in January to attend the Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth, Texas. A council of ministers from churches in Monroe and West Monroe will assist the church in this service. The people are invited to attend this service.

Another in the series of films showing the life of Christ will be shown at the Training Union hour.

The nursery is open for all services.

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PENIEL BAPTIST CHURCH
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If in West parish
Sunday services
9:45 a.m. Sunday school, Mattie Clark, superintendent.
10:50 a.m. Morning worship. Sermon, "The Greatest Gift."
6:30 p.m. Training Union, P. L. Clowers, director.
7:30 p.m. Evening worship. "A Service of Carols and Candle Lighting."
Wednesday evening, December 23:
7:00 p.m. Prayer meeting and Bible study
7:45 p.m. Mission programs
8:30 p.m. Choir rehearsal.
Thursday evening, December 24: 7:30 p.m. Church Christmas program, presented by the Training Union.

The church will observe student night, Sunday evening, December 27, at 7:30 o'clock. The college and high school students of the church will conduct the entire service.

M'CLENDON BAPTIST CHURCH
West Monroe

Rev. James Thorn pastor
N. R. Gilmore music director
Mrs. Durwood Simpson, pianist
James Blazier, Brotherhood president

"The Church Where Everybody is Somebody."

Sunday school, 10 a.m. Dewey Brown, supt.

Morning worship, 11 a.m. Sermon by pastor. Topic: "The Most Unique Character in All History." Text Matthew 22:42.

Training Union, 7 p.m.

Evening evangelistic service 8 p.m. Sermon by pastor, "The Magnetic Christ" is topic. Galation 4:4.

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EDGEWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH
505 Travis, West Monroe

O. P. Bazer, pastor.
B. C. Harper, music director.
Mrs. O. P. Bazer, pianist.
8:00 a. m. Trenton Baptist Hour, KLIC
9:45 a. m. Sunday school. Durward E. Walker, supt.
10:50 a. m. Morning worship. Pastor's message: "The Person of Christ" Matthew 1:18-25.
6:30 p. m. Training Union. W. A. Bennett, director.
7:30 p. m. Presentation of cantata: "The Quest of the Magi."
9:30 p. m. Christmas Carol Singing on Trenton St. West Monroe.
Wednesday: 7:00 p. m. Teachers' and officers' meeting; 7:30 p. m. prayer meeting; 8:15 p. m. choir practice.

Certainly a good way to put Christ into Christmas would be to attend the church of your choice this Lord's Day. If you do not have a church home, visitors are welcome to any of our services. Merry Christmas and a happy holiday season!

COLLEGE PLACE BAPTIST CHURCH
301 Sherrouse Avenue

Pastor, T. Earl Ogg
9:45 a.m. Sunday school
10:50 worship hour. Rev. Daniel Chang, pastor of Stirling Road Baptist Church in Hong Kong, China, which is the strongest church in the Hong Kong Baptist Association is to bring our message at the morning worship hour.
6:15 p.m. Training Union.
7:30 p.m. Worship hour. The choir will present their Christmas cantata, "The Choir of Bethlehem" by Noel Benson. After the presentation of the Christmas music everyone will place their gifts to Christ under the tree.

A nursery is maintained during all worship services.

RIDGE AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. A. T. Mitchell, Pastor.
"The Friendly Church."

Ridge Avenue Baptist Church extends a most cordial invitation to worship in all services. The hours of worship are as follows:

Sunday School, 9:45. H. B. Balfour, superintendent.
Morning Worship, 11:00.
Training Union, 6:00. G. D. Stewart, director.
Brotherhood, 6:00. E. F. Brown, president.
Evening Worship, 7:00.
W. M. U. meets Tuesday, 1:30. Mrs. Myrtle Smith, President.
Prayer Service, Wednesday, 7:00.

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Assistant Congregation Servant: Odis Sanderson.

Sunday 9:30 a.m. General Assembly, text discussion, field instructions, and then into service.

5:30 p.m. Bible Study Class. Subject, "The Day for Salvation" as taken from the "Watchtower". "For he says: 'In an acceptable season I heard you, and in the day for salvation I came to your help'. Look! Now is the especially acceptable season. Look! Now is the day for salvation." 2 Corinthians 6:2.

Wednesday, 7:30 p.m. Bible Study Class, Subject: "The Holy City Revived and Cast Off" Part II.

Thursday: 7:30 p.m. Service meeting, discussion of "The Informant" 8:20 p.m. Theocratic Ministry School.

You are invited to come and study God's Word with us.

METHODIST

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Jackson & Wood Street
Monroe, La.

Rev. H. L. Johns, D. D., Minister.
Rev. E. K. Means, D. D., Minister Emeritus.

You are cordially invited to Christmas Sunday services at the First Methodist Church. A Christmas candlelight communion will begin the day of worship, at 8:45 a.m. in the chapel. Church school at 9:30 a.m.

Christmas hymns and the anthem "The Birth" from the cantata by Hadyn Morgan will be given at the 10:50 o'clock worship service. Dr. Johns will preach on the topic, "The Christmas Truth."

The annual Christmas pageant under the auspices of the church school with the assistance of the choirs, will be given at 6 o'clock. This year the pageant, "Our Street on Christmas Eve" written and directed by Mrs. A. E. Allen will have the following cast:

Grandfather: Mr. J. S. Harbuck; Kathleen, Ruth Ann Boggs; shopper and child, Mrs. G. F. Boggs and Jerlwyn Drake; Jean, Roxianne Roberts; Betty, Ashley Hamilton; Sue, Sandra Tooke; Johnny, Johnny Wendell; Mary, Gwen John; Joseph, Don Andrews; inn keeper, Jimmie Leverett; angels, Helen Jackson, Gail John, Noel Standley, Janey Hyman, Linda Beth Keller, Joann Williams.

Violins, W. D. Walmsley; trumpets, Mr. Dewey White and Ray White; musical director, Irvie Lee Temple; organist, Dorothy Zeagler; pianist, Mrs. H. L. Johns; chancel, sanctuary and chapel choirs, senior and intermediate carollers.

A nursery under competent management is located in the educational building for the convenience of families during the services.

Everyone is cordially welcome.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
North Second at Park Avenue
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W. D. Milton, pastor.
Sunday, Dec. 20th.
6:00 p. m. — Junior fellowship.
6:30 p. m. — Fellowship for the primaries, intermediates, young people and adults.
Wednesday, Dec. 23rd.
7:00 p. m., Christmas service.
8:00 p. m., Social hour in basement of church immediately following our Christmas service. Refreshments will be served by the W. S. C. S. There will be candy and fruit for the children.

STONE AVENUE METHODIST CHURCH

I. L. Yeager, pastor.
M. B. Horne, Sunday school supt.
Mrs. M. B. Hearne, organist.
Wishing for all, "A Merry Christmas and A Happy New Year!"
Sunday school at 9:45 a.m.
Morning worship, 10:50 to 11:50. The message will be in keeping with the season, "God With Us," will be the sermon subject.
Youth meetings at 6:15 and 6:30 p.m.
At 7:30 p.m. the choir will present a Christmas devotional pageant service, entitled: "Thou Shalt Call His Name Jesus."
Wednesday evening, 7:30, under the direction of Mrs. E. E. Price, the junior MYF will present a program entitled, "Cindy Copes With Christmas."
The public is invited to attend these services. A spirit of worship will pervade. "We are Wesleyan in belief and teaching."

MEMORIAL METHODIST CHURCH
401 Sherrouse Avenue

Staff: Rev. Ralph Cain, pastor.
Herbert Walker, Church School superintendent.
Harold Riggs, chairman, official board.
Mrs. W. A. Cotton, president W. S. C. S.
Mrs. Estelle Sanders, director, Adult Choir.
Mrs. Z. C. Ambrose, Director of Youth Choir.
Mrs. H. W. Nelson, organist.
Church School, 9:45 a.m., Classes for all ages, with Nursery Classes beginning at 16 months.
Morning Worship, 11:00 o'clock. Anthem: "Our Sweet Saviour Dear." Bell, sung by the Adult Choir, Mrs. Estelle Sanders directing.
Sermon: "A Christian Christmas," pastor.
Sunday Evening Fellowship, 6:30, Groups for all ages.
Evening Worship, 7:30 o'clock. Prayer Period. Hymn Singing. The adult choir will present the Fred Waring cantata, "The Song of Christmas."

Memorial Methodist Church serves the Methodist students of Northeast Louisiana State College through the program of the Wesley Foundation located at 105 College, and administered by Rev. Ralph Cain and Mrs. H. E. Pfost.

This is World Service and Benevolences Sunday in Memorial Methodist Church. The free will offerings will go into the fund for that purpose.

GORDON AVENUE METHODIST CHURCH
Gordon Avenue and Dixie Avenue

M. D. Felder, minister
C. V. Fleming, church school superintendent
Homer Cook, director of music.

The church with a warm welcome invites you to the following services:

Sunday school begins 9:45 a. m. There is a class for every age group. Come and bring the family.
Morning worship service, 11:00 o'clock.
Anthem, chancel choir.
Sermon: "The Shepherds and Herald Angels," pastor.
Christmas cantata, 5:00 o'clock. The choir will present the cantata at 6:00 o'clock instead of 7:30 p. m. Public is invited.
Evening fellowship following the cantata, for primaries, juniors, intermediates and senior M. Y. F.
Recreation and fellowship for young people following evening program.

There will be no activities at the church this week. We urge you to spend this time at home with your family, and that on Christmas morning you have your Christmas family devotion. As you enjoy the day remember who has made this day possible. Why do we have this day? What is the significance of the day? It is the day that we celebrate as the birthday of our Saviour - Christ. Also as you enjoy your sumptuous meal remember that there are those who do not fare as well.

If you do not have a church home we invite you to worship with us.

A cordial invitation is extended all newcomers to visit us. You are always welcome at Gordon Avenue.

SOUTHSIDE METHODIST CHURCH
South 4th at Temple
Monroe, Louisiana

Lea Joyner, minister
Mrs. G. F. Snapp, church school supt.
R. L. Jones, choir director
Mrs. James Hall and Mrs. W. P. Stewart, pianists.

The services of the Soutnside Methodist Church are as follows:

9:30 a.m. Morning worship
10:45 a.m. church school for all ages
5:30 p.m. Youth Methodist Fellowship
6:30 p.m. Choir rehearsal
7:30 p.m. Evening worship . . . Christmas pageant
Monday:
Tuesday: 7:00 p.m. Boy Scout meeting
Thursday: 7:00 p.m. Choir rehearsal
Thursday: 11:30 p.m. Midnight communion service by candlelight.

At the morning service the minister will use as a subject: "Behold Your King"

At the evening service a Christmas pageant will be given entitled: "O Holy Night"

The Christmas pageant will tell the Christmas story in song and reading.

At the midnight communion service held on Thursday night, the choir will sing the responses and the service will be held by candlelight.

A nursery is maintained at both the morning and evening service.

If you do not have a church home we invite you to worship with us.

FAIRBANKS METHODIST CHURCH
Fairbanks, La.

Lea Joyner, Minister.
Harold DeBray, Sunday School Supt.
Miss Monta Sue Johnson, Pianist.
10:00 a.m. Sunday School for all ages.
11:00 a.m., Morning Worship.
5:30 p.m., Evening Worship.
6:30 p.m., Youth Fellowship.
7:00 p.m., Wed. Eve. Prayer meeting.
7:00 p.m., Thursday evening, Sunday School Christmas program.

At the morning service the minister will use as a subject: "The Birth of the King."

At the evening service, Candlelight Communion service.

We hope many of you will attend these services and bring your friends.

ST. PAUL'S METHODIST CHURCH
Lexington Avenue & Orell

Benjamin Ray Oliphint, Ph.D. Minister.
Church School, 9:30 a.m., Classes for all ages.
Worship Service, 10:50 a.m. Nursery for small children.
Vesper Service, 6:00 p.m.
Group meetings for juniors, junior high, intermediates, seniors, and adult groups, 6:30 p.m.

The members of St. Paul's invite you to worship with us today. We believe that you will find here a worshipful atmosphere a friendly people, and religion so interpreted as to make it a vital force in daily living.

"The church where when you miss, you will be missed."

PRESBYTERIAN

THE FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Grammont & Catalpa

W. H. McFadden, minister.

The services of the First Presbyterian Church will be held as follows:

9:45 a. m. — Church school.
11:00 a. m. — Morning worship.
4:00 p. m. — Recreation.
5:00 p. m. — Special baptismal service for infants.
5:30 p. m. — Joy gift program in church sanctuary.
6:30 p. m. — Young people will go caroling.
9:00 a. m. — Morning worship, Idlewild Chapel.

The minister's topic for the morning worship is, "A Son Is Given." This is the last of a series of Christmas sermons to be delivered by the minister. The joy gift program at 5:30 p. m. will take the place of the evening worship service. There will be no family night program on Wednesday, December 23rd.

On Thursday, December 24th, a candlelight communion service will be held in the church sanctuary, from 11:00 p. m. to midnight. The service will consist of a meditation by the minister entitled, "Peace and Good Will," the singing of familiar carols and special music, led by the church choir.

A nursery is provided in room 10 of the educational building during the morning service for children through three years of age. An expanded session is also held in the kindergarten department during the church service for those four and five years of age.

Parking facilities are available for those attending Sunday services at the First Presbyterian Church at the Sinclair Service Station, corner Harrison & Catalpa Sts.

COVENANT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. Wayne W. Gray, minister
(Services in Brown auditorium of Northeast Louisiana State College.)

Sunday school, 9:30 Mr. Frank Spivey, superintendent.
Morning worship service, 11:00, "Christmas Re-examined."

It is a good thing for us to pause along life's way and rethink the facts regarding the most important events. Surely Christmas is one of the most significant days and seasons of all and one of the most looked forward to of all. Now we need to re-examine Christmas and see just where we are in regard to its real purpose and how we observe it. That will be our theme on Sunday morning at 11:00. This service will be held in the Brown auditorium of Northeast Louisiana State College.

At 6:30 on Sunday we will have our annual "Joy Gift" program, which this year will be a candlelight service with the telling of the Christmas story in song and narrative. This worship service will be followed by a supper and a period of singing and fellowship on the Christmas theme. This service will be held in the Lexington Avenue grade school.

We are a friendly church with a Christian message and you are most cordially invited to worship with us.

TRINITY LUTHERAN

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH
3400 Darbonne

Arthur Betz, pastor.
Church school, 9:30 a.m., William Hochstettler, Supt.
Morning worship, 10:45 a.m., "Fullness of Joy," will be sermon theme. Mrs. M. S. Trimble in charge of music.
Annual Christmas party, Monday, 7:30 p.m. in parish house. Vincel Hubka and Arthur Johnson, Jr. in charge.
Christmas Eve service at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 24. An offering will be received for orphans. Mrs. Trimble will preside at the organ.
Christmas day festival at 9 a.m. December 25. Visitors always welcome.
Sunday Lutheran Hour is heard over a local radio station at 12:30 p.m. Rev. Lawrence Acker, D. D. Omaha, Neb., will speak.

FIRST CHRISTIAN

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
(Disciples of Christ)
St. John and Oak Sts.

R. T. Watson, minister.
Mrs. F. O. Seymour, choir director.
Mrs. R. V. Wroten, organist.
Church school at 9:45 a. m.
Worship at 10:50 a. m. "The Christmas Emphasis" is the sermon theme.
The choir will sing "Gloria in Excelsis Deo" and Mr. Jennings Wilkins will sing "Sweet Little Jesus Boy."
The Chi Rho and CFY groups will meet at 5:30 p. m.
The church school will present a Christmas program in fellowship hall at 7:30 p.m.
Everyone is most cordially invited to these services. A nursery for pre-school age children is maintained each Sunday.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST
224 Auburn Ave.

"Is The Universe, Including Man, Evolved by Atomic Force?" is the subject of the lesson - sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, Sunday, December 20, 1953.

The Golden Text is: "Thou, Lord, in the beginning hast laid the foundation of the earth: and the heavens are the works of thine hands." (Heb. 1:10).

Among the citations which comprise the lesson - sermon is the following from the Bible: "In the beginning God created the heaven and the earth" (Gen. 1:1).

The lesson - sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health With Key to the Scriptures", by Mary Baker Eddy: "The true theory of the universe including man is not in material history but in spiritual development" (p. 547).

Listen to a 15-minute radio broadcast Sunday at 2:00 p. m. over radio station KNOE. Sunday school at 9:30 a.m. Sunday service at 11:00 a. m. Wednesday service at 8:00 p. m. Reading room at 135 North Second Street, open daily from 10:00 to 5:00, except Sundays and national holidays.

CATHOLIC

SAINT MATTHEW'S CHURCH
Msgr. J. C. Marsh, Pastor

Sunday Masses begin at 6:30, 8:00, 9:00, 10:00 and 11:00 o'clock and 6:00 p.m.
Confessions are heard on Saturday from 4 to 6 and from 7 to 9 o'clock.
Guardian Angel class for children from 2 to 5 years of age during the 10:00 o'clock Mass.
Bible School is held Saturday morning in the school from 9 to 10:00.
Baptisms are held at 4:00 Sunday afternoons, call for appointments.
Week-day masses begin at 6:30 and 7:00 o'clock except on Wednesday and Friday the masses begin at 6:30 and 8:20.

OUR LADY OF FATIMA CHURCH
Located between Concordia and Sheridan Streets

Rev. George Martinez, Pastor
Sunday Masses begin at 7:00 and 10:00 o'clock.

UNITED PENTECOSTAL

UNITED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH
1600 South Second St.
Monroe, La.

Pastor, Rev. T. F. Penny
Sunday school, 9:30 a.m.
Morning worship, 11 a.m.
Young People, 6:30 p.m.
Evangelistic service, 7:30 p.m.
Mid-week service, 7:30 p.m. Wednesday.
Ladies' Auxiliary, 2 p.m. Thursday.
On Sunday there will be a special Sunday School program. On Monday night there will be a Christmas play. All are welcome to all services.

GRACE EPISCOPAL

GRACE EPISCOPAL CHURCH
North Fourth & Glenmar Streets

The Rev. John M. Allin, rector
The Rev. Edward Farren Hayward, rector emeritus.

Fourth Sunday in Advent:
Holy Eucharist, 7:30 a.m.
Koffee Klatch, 8:15 a.m.
Morning prayer, 9:00 a.m.
Holy Eucharist & sermon, 9:45 a.m.
Nursery, educational bldg., 9:45 a.m.
Kindergarten parish house, 9:45 a.m.
Fellowship recess, parish house, 9:45 a.m.
Church school and adult class, 11:15 a.m.
Youths inquirer's class, 4:00 p.m.
Evening prayer, 5:30 p.m.
Young churchmen, 5:30 p.m.
Christmas eve:
Morning prayer & Holy Eucharist, 7:00 a.m.
Children's service — "The Song of the Nativity", 4:00 p.m.
Evening prayer, 5:30 p.m.
Midnight Eucharist for Christmas Day, 11:30 p.m.
Christmas day:
Morning prayer & Holy Eucharist, 7:00 a.m.
Holy Eucharist, 9:30 a.m.
Evening prayer, 5:30 p.m.

Memorial Church Planning Tuneful Night Program

The choir of Memorial Methodist Church under the direction of Mrs. Estelle Sanders and accompanied by Mrs. Irene Nelson will present "The Song of Christmas" at the Sunday evening church hour Sunday night, beginning at 7:30.

It is the story of the Nativity as told in Christmas songs, carols, and Biblical verses, by Roy Ringwald, and is a Fred Waring choral arrangement. Soloists are Mrs. J. B. Bradley, Mrs. Ben Simpson, F. H. Riggs, and W. R. Cain. The narrator is James W. Parkerson.

The complete program is as follows:

"Adoramus Te Christe" — Palestrina.

"The Angel Gabriel" — an English carol.

"Then Sing We All", from the Ave Maria".

"Companions, All Sing Loudly", a Basque carol.

"Veni Emmanuel," ancient plain song hymn.

"A Virgin Unspotted", Stainer.

"To Us Is Born A Little Child," from the collection of J. Spangenburg, 1544.

"While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks by Night," Tate.

"Angeles We Have Heard On High," a French carol.

"Christians Awake, Salute The Happy Morn," Byrom.

"What Child Is This?" Dix.

"Epiphanias," (the postlude), Hugo Wolf.

"We Three Kings of Orient Are," Hopkins.

"Adeste Fideles," (Instrumental.)

"Eastern Monarchs Sages Three," tr. G. R. Woodward.

"Unto Us A Boy Is Born," Latin Carol.

"The Three Kings," Flemish carol.

"Joseph Dear, O Joseph Mine," German cradle song.

"Cantique De Noel," Adam.

"O Most Holy," Sicilian.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

Christmas Eve Communion Service

A candlelight Communion service will be held in the First Presbyterian Church Thursday night, December 24, from 11:00 p.m. to midnight. The service will consist of a meditation by the minister, W. H. McFadden, entitled, "Peace and Good Will," the singing of familiar carols and special music led by the choir of the church, and will be concluded with the sacrament of the Lord's Supper. What better way could we start Christmas than to come to church, partake of the Lord's Supper, and offer thanks to God for the gift of His Son? The First Presbyterian Church opens its doors for all those who desire to come and worship on this occasion.

A baptismal service for infants will be held in the sanctuary today, December 20 at 5:00 p.m.

Baptist Choir To Give Pageant At Sterlington

STERLINGTON, Dec. 19 (Special) — A Nativity pageant will be presented by members of the Sterlington First Baptist Church Sunday night, Dec. 20, at 7:30 p.m., Billy Joe Milstead, choir director of the church, announces.

The pageant will be entitled "The Spirit of Christmas," which, Milstead said, "beautifully portrays the birth of Christ, in music and pantomime.

Biblical characters will be portrayed as follows: Mary, Alice Jo Lipsey; Joseph, Charles McBe Angel, Virginia Brunson; Sh herds, Ogutiva McDougle, Bill C and Lester Roan; Kings, Chat Puckett, Lamar Rogers, and Je Carter.

Warren Gay will serve as r rator, and W. A. Bradshaw, as companist.

Members of the choir and T. J. Welch, pastor, have exte ed an invitation to the gene public.

Cantata Will Be Presented By Gordon Ave.

The choir of the Gordon Avenue Methodist Church, under the direction of Mr. Homer Cook, will present the Christmas Cantata, "The Heavenly Message" by Edith Lang, Sunday, 5:00 o'clock.

The Cantata will consist of:

Prelude (night) organ solo, Mrs. Ella Frances Cantrell.

1. There were shepherds abiding in the field tenor and bass recitative, and soprano solo.
2. Shepherds, up then up, and then away, Chorus choir.
3. What child is this? Soprano solo and chorus.
4. The virgin's cradle-song . . . alto solo.
5. There is a flower . . . sopr trio, and alto and tenor.
6. Say, ye holy shepherds, . . . chorus choir.

You are invited to hear the It will be presented at 5:00 o'cl instead of 7:30 p. m. You will h time to come and hear the cant and then go to your church for evening service.

Members of choir are: Alto, Cook, Molly Naff, Ann Magow and Elaine Hesketh; soprano, M Peggy Corry, Mrs. Lois Timm man, Beth Ellebre, Yvonne R sel, Patsy White, Sue Elliott, C olyn Fleming, Barbara Elliott, Ann Gibson, Alice May, D Fleming, Barbara Keise, Li Smith, and Kay Cantrell; ten Billie Taylor and Jimmie Bran bass: Buddy Zeagler, George P lips, Charles Magown, Archie Pe son, Maford Keise, Ronnie St and Tom Naff.

Today's YOUR GUIDING STAR Messages:

0. Prov. 11:25 — A liberal man will be enriched.
1. Luke 6:38. — Give, and it will be given to you; good measure, running over, will be put into your lap.
2. Acts 20:35 — It is more blessed to give than to receive
3. Gal. 6:10. — As we have opportunity, let us do good to all men.
4. Prov. 22:1 — A good name is to be chosen rather than great riches, and favor is better than silver or gold.

Churches

18 Churches Uniting In Trenton Service

The spirit of Christmas will come in true style to West Monroyans next Sunday evening at 9:30 p.m. Representatives from the eighteen Baptist churches in the Trenton Baptist Association will assemble on Trenton Street after Sunday evening services at 9:30 to sing Christmas carols for thirty minutes or more. A space will be roped off for this singing group, also a sound truck, piano and platform is to be furnished by local businessmen.

Eugene Smith, director of the Trenton Baptist Music Association, said that the time was set late to give ample time for representatives from the outlying churches to arrive to participate in the singing. He also urges all other groups, regardless of religious belief, to come help in the carol singing.

After the street sing, various groups will go to institutions and sing Christmas carols there.

Quest Of Magi Theme Of Story Told In Cantata

"The Quest of the Magi" a Christmas story cantata by L. A. Reed and Haldor Lillenas, will be presented by the choir of the Edgewood Baptist Church of West Monroe Sunday evening at 7:30. The choir is under the direction of B. C. Harper. A pageant, showing different scenes will also be given by members of the church.

Selections to be sung are: "Where is He That is Born King of the Jews?", "Has the Great Messiah Come?", "Bethlehem," "Crown the Saviour King," "Behold the Star," "No Room in the Inn," "Gifts of Love," "Glory to God in the Highest!" and "The Wise Men Have Gone."

Tradition Carried Out In Jena Church

JENA, La., Dec. 19. (Special)—Nolley Memorial Methodist Church of Jena will observe its traditional Christmas program of carols and candlelighting at the evening worship hour Sunday, beginning at 7:30 o'clock.

This program, to be presented by the adult choir of the church, is an annual event in the life of the congregation and "is one of the most beautiful and most meaningful services in our church calendar year," the Rev. Otis Spinks, pastor, said.

At the 11 a.m. worship hour Sunday, the pastor will speak on the subject, "The Miracle of Christmas."

Rev. Spinks and the congregation extend a cordial welcome to the public to attend these special Christmas services.

Christmas Program Planned At Cleft Rock

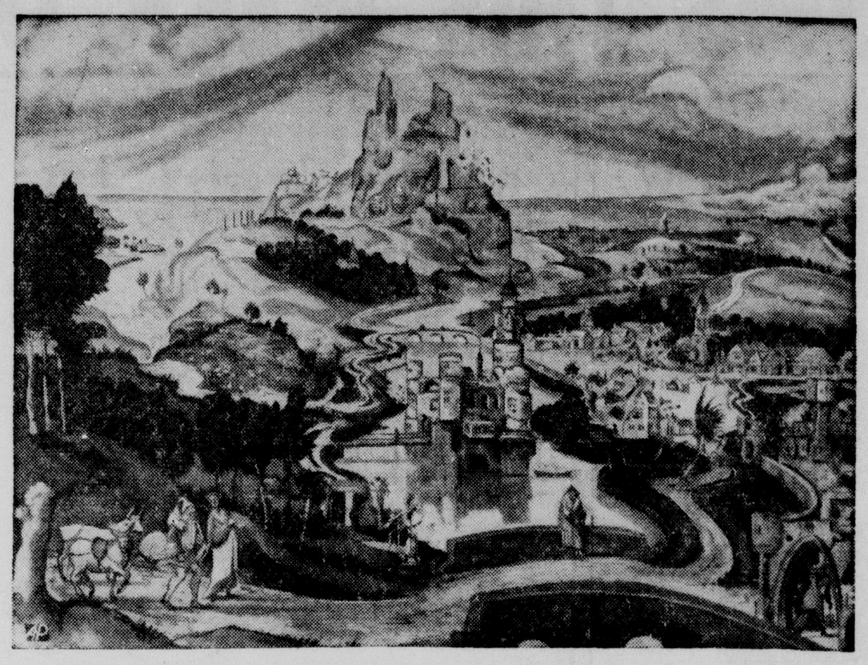
Donald McGough, Cleft Rock choir director, announces that the girls' chorus will present a Christmas program entitled "The Song of Christmas." Narrator is Patricia McGough and directing the juniors in the scenes are Jeanette Flowers and Mrs. R. L. Hendrix.

The director and girls are spending many hours in the preparation of the program. Last year the girls' ensemble of the choir received a top rating at the district festival for their splendid work.

Donald McGough will serve at the piano.

There are thirteen members of the girls' chorus and seven in the ensemble, when they present "The Song of Christmas" Wednesday, December 23 at 8 p. m. The church is on Winnsboro road. The public is cordially invited.

The Arrival In Bethlehem



AND SO IT WAS— And Joseph also went up from Galilee, out of the city of Nazareth, into Judea unto the city of David, which is called Bethlehem; (because he was of the house and lineage of David:) To be taxed with Mary his espoused wife, being great with child. And so it was, that, while they were there, the days were accomplished that she should be delivered. — Luke 2:4-6.

Christmas Joy Gift Service In Church Tonight

Final plans are being completed for the annual Christmas joy gift service at the First Presbyterian Church. This candle light service will be held December 20 at 5:30 p. m. in the church sanctuary. Mrs. C. K. Crandall is in charge of the program entitled, "The Light of Life."

The Rev. W. H. McFadden, minister, will be the leader for the service and will be assisted by Ben Patterson and I. T. Landhy, readers. Mr. Bobby Johnson will be the candle lighter. Mary and Joseph will be portrayed by Mrs. Ray Magruder and W. V. Roy. The primary, junior, pioneer and adult choirs will participate in the singing of Christmas Carols.

The offering taken at this service is given to the retired ministers of the Presbyterian Church to support them and their families. There are approximately six hundred and thirty-six families who are supported by this annual offering.

Jena Baptists To Have Yule Program

JENA, La., Dec. 19. (Special)—Members of the First Baptist Church of Jena will be treated to a Christmas program of music, presented by the choir, at the Sunday evening worship service.

Various members of the choir will be featured in special numbers, including Johnette Moses and Ann Carraway in a duet, "O Little Town of Bethlehem," Ted Oberon singing the traditional "First Noel," and a trio of Mrs. J. H. Hall, Mrs. H. G. Green and Mrs. Bob Owens in "O Little Boy Jesus."

Erma Dell Jones will be soloist with the choir in the presentation of "O Holy Night" and the male quartet of Elmo and W. D. Tullos, John Barrett and Ezell Taylor will present "It Came Upon a Midnight Clear."

Cold tea is an excellent fertilizer for house plants. It also acts as an insecticide.

COLLEGE PLACE BAPTISTS—This church at tonight's service will present "The Choir of Bethlehem." with Mrs. L. N. Blair director. Members of the choir shown above.

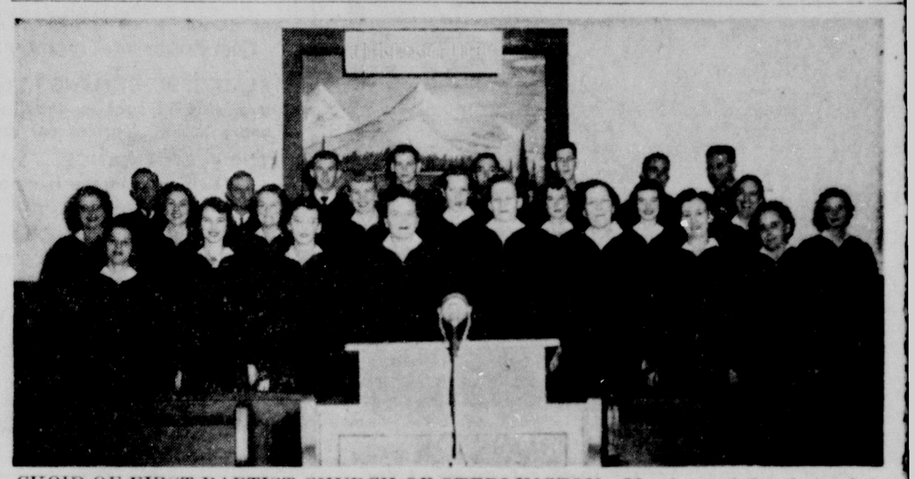
Bethlehem Choir Being Presented In College Pl.

The church choir of College Place Baptist will be presented in a cantata "The Choir of Bethlehem" Sunday at 7:30 p.m. Mrs. L. N. Blair is choir director and will be accompanied by Mrs. C. L. Dillingham, organist and Mrs. T. Earl Ogg, pianist.

Soloists will be Mrs. Don Hoyem, Miss Irma Grace Stevens, Max Dillingham, Mrs. C. W. Thacker, Miss Jane Blanchard and Mr. George Vaughan.

The music for this cantata was written by Noel Benson and text by Edith Sanford Tillotson. The church will be decorated appropriately by women of the missionary union all in white as the Lottie Moon Christmas for foreign missions will be received at the close of the service.

The public is cordially invited.



CHOIR OF FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF STERLINGTON—Members of the choir of the First Baptist Church will present a pageant at the church in Sterlington tonight at 7:30 p. m., portraying the Nativity. Members are: Left to right, first row, Jane Puckett, Leslie Amos, Gail Simmons, Mrs. M. M. Funderburk, Mrs. M. F. Sheeton, Lillian Carter, Mrs. J. F. Kennedy. Second row, Mrs. Lamar Rogers, Lael Puckett, Mrs. Brady Dean, Joan Amos, Sara Matkins, Wanda Garrett, Bobby Gail Garrett, Shirley Gulley, Mrs. T. J. Welch. Third row, Brady Dean, Emmett English, Charles McBeth, Jerry Carter, Charles Puckett, W. A. Bradshaw, John Gray, and Lamar Rogers.

Come To Church Sunday

BAPTIST

CENTRAL BPATIST CHURCH
"In the heart of Monroe's Southside"
3400 Lee Ave.

C. Roger Johnson, Pastor.

At the Morning Worship, beginning at 10:50, the pastor's sermon subject will be "Glory, Peace and Joy."

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.

Training Union and Brotherhood — 6:30 p.m.

At the Evening Services which start at 7:30, there will be a special music program by the combined choirs.

There will be a Lottie Moon Christmas Play and program at the Prayer Meeting hour on Wednesday night at 7:30. The Public has a special invitation to come and worship with us at any of these services and programs. Take a Southside bus which brings you directly to the church doors.

GOOD HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH
Route 4, Box 121
West Monroe

Rev. H. B. Dean, Pastor; Eugene Smith, Music Director;
Mary Jane Dreasler, Pianist.

Sunday School 9:30 a. m. George Parker, Superintendent.

Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

Training Union 6:30 p.m. Gary Parrish, Director

Brotherhood Meeting 6:30 p.m. J .E. Wilkes, President

Christmas Program 7:30 p.m.

The W. M. U. will not meet this week.

The Youth Organizations and the Group Prayer meetings will begin at 7:00 p.m. Wednesday.

Regular Prayer Service begins at 7:45 p.m.,

Choir will practice at 8:15 p.m.

Everyone is extended a cordial invitation to come worship with us.

TEMPLE BAPTIST CHURCH
601 Plum St.

W. Leon Ivey, pastor.

A cordial invitation is extended to everyone to worship with the Temple Baptist Church this Lord's Day.

Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.

Morning worship, 11:00 a.m.

Ordination service, 3:30 p.m.

Training Union, 6:00 p.m.

Evening worship, 7:15 p.m.

You will find a class for every age group in our Sunday School and Training Union. Attendance at the worship services has been good in spite of bad weather, and we have had good services. Last Sunday four were added to church on profession of faith and one by letter.

At 3:30 p.m. the church will ordain Lee Deason to the gospel ministry. Mr. Deason answered God's call almost a year ago and is leaving in January to attend the Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth, Tex. A council of ministers from churches in Monroe and West Monroe will assist the church in this service. The public is invited to attend this service

Another in the series of films showing the life of Christ will be shown at the Training Union hour.

The nursery will be open for all services.

Ride the Bernstein Park bus to all services.

PENIEL BAPTIST CHURCH
Jonesboro Road, West Monroe, La.
"A Friendly Church With the Gospel Message"

R. J. West, pastor.

Sunday services:

9:45 a.m. Sunday school, Marie Clark, superintendent.

10:45 a.m. Morning worship. Sermon, "The Greatest Gift."

6:30 p.m. Training Union, P. L. Clowers, director.

7:30 p.m. Evening worship, "A Service of Carols and Candle Lighting."

Wednesday evening, December 23:

7:00 p.m. Prayer meeting and Bible study

7:45 p.m. Mission programs

8:30 p.m. Choir rehearsal.

Thursday evening, December 24: 7:30 p.m. Church Christmas program, presented by the Training Union.

The church will observe student night, Sunday evening, December 27, at 7:30 o'clock. The college and high school students of the church will conduct the entire service.

M'CLENDON BAPTIST CHURCH
West Monroe

Rev. James Thorn, pastor.
N. R. Gilmore, music director
Mrs. Durwood Simpson, pianist
James Blazier, Brotherhood president

"The Church Where Everybody is Somebody."

Sunday school, 10 a.m. Dewey Brown, supt.

Morning worship, 11 a.m. Sermon by pastor. Topic, "The Most Unique Character in All History." Text Matthew 22:42.

Training Union, 7 p.m.

Evening evangelistic service 8 p.m. Sermon by pastor, "The Magnetic Christ" is topic. Galation 4:4.

"The End of Your Search for a Friendly Church. Come and Bring Your Friends."

EDGEWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH
505 Travis, West Monroe

O. P. Bazer, pastor.
B. C. Harper, music director.
Mrs. O. P. Bazer, pianist.

8:00 a. m. Trenton Baptist Hour, KLIC.

9:45 a. m. Sunday school. Durward E. Walker, supt.

10:50 a. m. Morning worship. Pastor's message: "The Person of Christ" Matthew 1:18-25.

6:30 p. m. Training Union. W. A. Bennett, director.

7:30 p. m. Presentation of cantata: "The Quest of the Magi."

9:30 p. m. Christmas Carol Singing on Trenton St. West Monroe.

Wednesday: 7:00 p. m. Teachers' and officers' meeting; 7:30 p. m. prayer meeting; 8:15 p. m. choir practice.

Certainly a good way to put Christ into Christmas would be to attend the church of your choice this Lord's Day. If you do not have a church home, visitors are welcome to any of our services. Merry Christmas and a happy holiday season!

COLLEGE PLACE BAPTIST CHURCH
301 Sherrouse Avenue

Pastor, T. Earl Ogg

9:45 a.m. Sunday school

10:50 worship hour. Rev. Daniel Chang, pastor of Stirling Road Baptist Church in Hong Kong, China, which is the strongest church in the Hong Kong Baptist Association is to bring our message at the morning worship hour.

6:15 p.m. Training Union.

7:30 p.m. Worship hour. The choir will present their Christmas cantata, "The Choir of Bethlehem" by Noel Benson. After the presentation of the Christmas music everyone will place their gifts to Christ under the tree.

A nursery is maintained during all worship services.

RIDGE AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. A. T. Mitchell, Pastor.
"The Friendly Church."

Ridge Avenue Baptist Church extends a most cordial invitation to worship in all services. The hours of worship are as follows:

Sunday School, 9:45, H. B. Balfour, superintendent.

Morning Worship, 11:00.

Training Union, 6:00, G. D. Stewart, director.

Brotherhood, 8:00, E. F. Brown, president.

Evening Worship, 7:00.

W. M. U. meets Tuesday, 1:30, Mrs. Myrtle Smith, President.

Prayer Service, Wednesday, 7:00.

You will always receive a welcome at Ridge Avenue "The Friendly Church."

JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES
Kingdom Hall
4501 Jackson Street
Monroe, La.

Congregation Servant: H. C. Trull.

Assistant Congregation Servant: Odis Sanderson.

Sunday: 9:30 a.m., General Assembly, text discussion, field instructions, and then into service.

5:30 p.m., Bible Study Class. Subject, "The Day for Salvation," as taken from the "Watchtower." "For he says: 'In an acceptable season I heard you, and in the day for salvation I came to your help'. Look! Now is the especially acceptable season. Look! Now is the day for salvation." 2 Corinthians 6:2.

Wednesday: 7:30 p.m., Bible Study Class, Subject, "The Holy City Revived and Cast Off." Part II.

Thursday: 7:30 p.m., Service meeting, discussion of "The Informant." 8:30 p.m., Theocratic Ministry School.

You are invited to come and study God's Word with us.

METHODIST

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Jackson & Wood Street
Monroe, La.

Rev. H. L. Johns, D. D., Minister.
Rev. E. K. Means, D. D., Minister Emeritus

You are cordially invited to Christmas Sunday services at the First Methodist Church. A Christmas candlelight communion will begin the day of worship, at 8:45 a.m. in the chapel. Church school at 9:30 a.m.

Christmas hymns and the anthem, "The Birth," from the cantata by Hadyn Morgan will be given at the 10:50 o'clock worship service. Dr. Johns will preach on the topic, "The Christmas Truth."

The annual Christmas pageant under the auspices of the church school with the assistance of the choirs, will be given at 6 o'clock. This year the pageant, "Our Street on Christmas Eve" written and directed by Mrs. A. E. Allen, will have the following cast:

Grandfather, Mr. J. S. Harbuck; Kathleen, Ruth Ann Boggs; shopper and child, Mrs. G. E. Boggs and Jeriwyn Drake; Jean, Roxianne Roberts; Betty, Ashley Hamilton; Sue, Sandra Tooke; Johnny, Johnny Wendell; Mary, Gwen John; Joseph, Don Andrews; inn keeper, Jimmie Leverett; angels, Helen Jackson, Gail John, Noel Standley, Janey Hyman, Linda Beth Keller, Joann Williams.

Violins, W. D. Walmsley; trumpets, Mr. Dewey White and Ray White, musical director, Irvie Lee Temple; organist, Dorothy Zeagler; pianist, Mrs. H. L. Johns; chancel, sanctuary and chapel choirs, senior and intermediate carollers.

A nursery under competent management is located in the educational building for the convenience of families during the services.

Everyone is cordially welcome.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
North Second at Park Avenue
West Monroe

W. D. Milton, pastor.

Sunday, Dec. 20th.

6:00 p. m. — Junior fellowship.

6:30 p. m. — Fellowship for the primaries, intermediates, young people and adults.

Wednesday, Dec. 23rd.

7:00 p. m., Christmas service.

8:00 p. m., Social hour in basement of church immediately following our Christmas service. Refreshments will be served by the W. S. C. S. There will be candy and fruit for the children.

STONE AVENUE METHODIST CHURCH
Fairbanks, La.

I. L. Yeager, pastor.
M. B. Hearne, Sunday school supt.
Mrs. M. B. Hearne, organist.

Wishing for all, "A Merry Christmas and A Happy New Year!"

Sunday school at 9:45 a.m.

Morning worship, 10:50 to 11:50. The message will be in keeping with the season, "God With Us," will be the sermon subject.

Youth meetings at 6:15 and 6:30 p.m.

At 7:30 p.m. the choir will present a Christmas devotional pageant service, entitled: "Thou Shalt Call His Name Jesus."

Wednesday evening, 7:30, under the direction of Mrs. E. E. Price, the junior MYF will present a program entitled, "Cindy Copes With Christmas."

The public is invited to attend these services. A spirit of worship will pervade. "We are Wesleyan in belief and teaching."

MEMORIAL METHODIST CHURCH
401 Sherrouse Avenue

Staff: Rev. Ralph Cain, pastor.
Herbert Walker, Church School superintendent.
Harold Riggs, chairman, official board.
Mrs. W. A. Cotton, president, W. S. C. S.
Mrs. Estelle Sanders, director, Adult Choir.
Mrs. Z. C. Ambrose, Director of Youth Choir.
Mrs. H. W. Nelson, organist.

Church School, 9:45 a.m., Classes for all ages, with Nursery Classes beginning at 16 months.

Morning Worship, 11:00 o'clock. Anthem: "Our Sweet Saviour Dear," Bell, sung by the Adult Choir, Mrs. Estelle Sanders, directing.

Sermon: "A Christian Christmas," pastor.

Sunday Evening Fellowship, 6:30, Groups for all ages.

Evening Worship, 7:30 o'clock. Prayer Period. Hymn Singing. The adult choir will present the Fred Waring cantata, "The Song of Christmas."

Memorial Methodist Church serves the Methodist students of Northeast Louisiana State College through the program of the Wesley Foundation located at 105 College, and administered by Rev. Ralph Cain and Mrs. H. E. Pfost.

This is World Service and Benevolences Sunday in Memorial Methodist Church. The free will offerings will go into the fund for that purpose.

GORDON AVENUE METHODIST CHURCH
Gordon Avenue and Dixie Avenue

M. D. Felder, minister.
C. V. Fleming, church school superintendent.
Homer Cook, director of music.

The church with a warm welcome invites you to the following services:

Sunday school begins, 9:45 a. m. There is a class for every age group. Come and bring the family.

Morning worship service, 11:00 o'clock. Anthem, chancel choir.

Sermon, "The Shepherds and Herald Angels," pastor.

Christmas cantata, 5:00 o'clock. The choir will present the cantata at 6:00 o'clock instead of 7:30 p. m. Public is invited.

Evening fellowship following the cantata, for primaries, juniors, intermediates and senior M. Y. F.

Recreation and fellowship for young people following evening program.

There will be no activities at the church this week. We urge you to spend this time at home with your family, and that on Christmas morning you have your Christmas family devotion. As you enjoy the day remember who has made this day possible. Why do we have this day? What is the significance of the day? It is the day that we celebrate as the birthday of our Saviour - Christ. Also as you enjoy your sumptuous meal remember that there are those who do not fare as well.

If you do not have a church home we invite you to worship with us.

A cordial invitation is extended all newcomers to visit us. You are always welcome at Gordon Avenue.

SOUTHSIDE METHODIST CHURCH
South 4th at Temple
Monroe, Louisiana

Lea Joyner, minister
Mrs. G. F. Snapp, church school supt.
R. L. Jones, choir director
Mrs. James Hall and Mrs. W. P. Stewart, pianists.

The services of the Southside Methodist Church are as follows:

9:30 a.m. Morning worship
10:45 a.m. church school for all ages
5:30 p.m. Youth Methodist Fellowship
6:30 p.m. Choir rehearsal
7:30 p.m. Evening worship . . . Christmas pageant

Monday: 7:00 p.m. Boy Scout meeting
Tuesday: 7:00 p.m. Choir rehearsal
Thursday: 11:30 p.m. Midnight communion service by candlelight.

At the morning service the minister will use as a subject: "Behold Your King"

At the evening service a Christmas pageant will be given entitled: "O Holy Night"

The Christmas pageant will tell the Christmas story in song and reading.

At the midnight communion service held on Thursday night, the choir will sing the responses and the service will be held by candlelight.

A nursery is maintained at both the morning and evening service.

If you do not have a church home we invite you to worship with us.

FAIRBANKS METHODIST CHURCH
Fairbanks, La.

Lea Joyner, Minister.
Harold DeBray, Sunday School Supt.
Miss Monta Sue Johnson, Pianist.

10:00 a.m., Sunday School for all ages.
11:00 a.m., Morning Worship.
5:30 p.m., Evening Worship.
6:30 p.m., Youth Fellowship.
7:00 p.m., Wed. Eve. Prayer meeting.
7:00 p.m., Thursday evening, Sunday School Christmas program.

At the morning service the minister will use as a subject: "The Birth of the King."

At the evening service, Candlelight Communion service.

We hope many of you will attend these services and bring your friends.

ST. PAUL'S METHODIST CHURCH
Lexington Avenue & Orell

Benjamin Ray Oliphint, Ph.D. Minister.

Church School, 9:30 a.m., Classes for all ages.

Worship Service, 10:50 a.m. Nursery for small children

Vesper Service, 6:00 p.m.

Group meetings for juniors, junior high, intermediates, seniors, and adult groups, 6:30 p.m.

The members of St. Paul's invite you to worship with us today. We believe that you will find here a worshipful atmosphere, a friendly people, and religion so interpreted as to make it a vital force in daily living.

"The church where when you miss, you will be missed."

PRESBYTERIAN

THE FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Grammont & Catalpa

W. H. McFadden, minister.

The services of the First Presbyterian Church will be held as follows:

9:45 a. m. — Church school.
11:00 a. m. — Morning worship.
4:00 p. m. — Recreation.
5:00 p. m. — Special baptismal service for infants.
5:30 p. m. — Joy gift program in church sanctuary.
6:30 p. m. — Young people will go caroling.
9:00 a. m. — Morning worship, Idlewild Chapel.

The minister's topic for the morning worship is, "A Son Is Given." This is the last of a series of Christmas sermons to be delivered by the minister. The joy gift program at 5:30 p. m. will take the place of the evening worship service. There will be no family night program on Wednesday, December 23rd.

On Thursday, December 24th, a candlelight communion service will be held in the church sanctuary, from 11:00 p. m. to midnight. The service will consist of a meditation by the minister entitled, "Peace and Good Will," the singing of familiar carols and special music, led by the church choir.

A nursery is provided in room 10 of the educational building during the morning service for children through three years of age. An expanded session is also held in the kindergarten department during the church service for those four and five years of age.

Parking facilities are available for those attending Sunday services at the First Presbyterian Church at the Sinclair Service Station, corner Harrison & Catalpa Sts.

COVENANT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. Wayne W. Gray, minister
(Services in Brown auditorium of Northeast Louisiana State College.)

Sunday school, 9:30 Mr. Frank Spivey, superintendent.

Morning worship service, 11:00, "Christmas Re-examined."

It is a good thing for us to pause along life's way and rethink the facts regarding the most important events. Surely Christmas is one of the most significant days and seasons of all and one of the most looked forward to of all. Now we need to re-examine Christmas and see just where we are in regard to its real purpose and how we observe it. That will be our theme on Sunday morning at 11:00. This service will be held in the Brown auditorium of Northeast Louisiana State College.

At 6:30 on Sunday we will have our annual "Joy Gift" program, which this year will be a candlelight service with the telling of the Christmas story in song and narrative. This worship service will be followed by a supper and a period of singing and fellowship on the Christmas theme. This service will be held in the Lexington Avenue grade school.

We are a friendly church with a Christian message and you are most cordially invited to worship with us.

TRINITY LUTHERAN

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH
300 Darbonne

Arthur Betz, pastor.

Church school, 9:30 a.m., William Hochstettler, Supt.

Morning worship, 10:45 a.m., "Fullness of Joy," will be sermon theme. Mrs. M. S. Trimble in charge of music.

Annual Christmas party, Monday, 7:30 p.m. in parish house. Vincel Hubka and Arthur Johnson Jr. in charge.

Christmas Eve service at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 24. An offering will be received for orphans. Mrs. Trimble will preside at the organ.

Christmas day festival at 9 a.m. December 25. Visitors always welcome.

Sunday Lutheran Hour is heard over a local radio station at 12:30 p.m. Rev. Lawrence Acker, D. D. Omaha, Neb., will speak.

FIRST CHRISTIAN

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
(Disciples of Christ)
St. John and Oak Sts.

B. T. Watson, minister.
Mrs. F. O. Seymour, choir director.
Mrs. R. V. Wroten, organist.

Church school at 9:45 a. m.

Worship at 10:50 a. m. "The Christmas Emphasis" is the sermon theme.

The choir will sing "Gloria in Excelsis Deo" and Mr. Jennings Wilkins will sing "Sweet Little Jesus Boy."

The Chi Rho and CFY groups will meet at 5:30 p. m.

The church school will present a Christmas program in fellowship hall at 7:30 p. m.

Everyone is most cordially invited to these services. A nursery for pre-school age children is maintained each Sunday.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST
224 Auburn Ave.

"Is The Universe, Including Man, Evolved by Atomic Force?" is the subject of the lesson - sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, Sunday, December 20, 1953.

The Golden Text is: "Thou, Lord, in the beginning hast laid the foundation of the earth: and the heavens are the works of thine hands" (Heb. 1:10).

Among the citations which comprise the lesson - sermon is the following from the Bible: "In the beginning God created the heaven and the earth" (Gen. 1:1).

The lesson - sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health With Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "The true theory of the universe, including man, is not in material history but in spiritual development" (p. 547).

Listen to a 15-minute radio broadcast Sunday at 2:00 p. m. over radio station KNOE. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Sunday service at 11:00 a. m. Wednesday service at 8:00 p. m. Reading room at 135 North Second Street open daily from 10:00 to 5:00, except Sundays and national holidays.

CATHOLIC

SAINT MATTHEW'S CHURCH
Msgr. J. C. Marsh, Pastor.

Sunday Masses begin at 6:30, 8:00, 9:00, 10:00 and 11:00 o'clock and 6:00 p.m.

Confessions are heard on Saturday from 4 to 5 and from 7 to 9 o'clock

Guardian Angel class for children from 2 to 5 years of age during the 10:00 o'clock Mass.

Bible School is held Saturday morning in the school from 9 to 10:00.

Baptisms are held at 4:00 Sunday afternoons, call for appointments.

Week-day masses begin at 6:30 and 7:00 o'clock except on Wednesday and Friday the masses begin at 6:30 and 8:20.

OUR LADY OF FATIMA CHURCH
Located between Concordia and Sheridan Streets.

Rev. George Martinez, Pastor.

Sunday Masses begin at 7:00 and 10:00 o'clock.

UNITED PENTECOSTAL

UNITED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH
1600 South Second St.
Monroe, La.

Pastor, Rev. T. F. Tenny.
Sunday school, 10 a.m.
Morning worship, 11 a.m.
Young People, 6:30 p.m.
Evangelistic service, 7:30 p.m.
Mid-week service, 7:30 p.m., Wednesday.
Ladies' Auxiliary, 2 p.m., Thursday.

On Sunday there will be a special Sunday School program. On Monday night there will be a Christmas play. All are welcome to all services.

GRACE EPISCOPAL

GRACE EPISCOPAL CHURCH
North Fourth & Glenmar Streets

The Rev. John M. Allin, rector
The Rev. Edward Farren Hayward, rector emeritus.

Fourth Sunday in Advent:
Holy Eucharist, 7:30 a. m.
Koffee Klatch, 8:15 a. m.
Morning prayer, 9:00 a. m.
Holy Eucharist & sermon, 9:45 a. m.
Nursery, educational bldg., 9:45 a. m.
Kindergarten, parish house, 9:45 a. m.
Fellowship recess, parish house, 9:45 a. m.
Church school and adult class, 11:15 a. m.
Youths inquirer's class, 4:00 p. m.
Evening prayer, 5:30 p. m.
Young churchmen, 5:30 p. m.
Christmas eve:
Morning prayer & Holy Eucharist, 7:00 a. m.
Children's service — "The Song of the Nativity", 4:00 p. m.
Evening prayer, 5:30 p. m.
Midnight Eucharist for Christmas Day, 11:30 p. m.
Christmas day:
Morning prayer & Holy Eucharist, 7:00 a. m.
Holy Eucharist, 9:30 a. m.
Evening prayer, 5:30 p. m.

Memorial Church Planning Tuneful Night Program

The choir of Memorial Methodist Church under the direction of Mrs. Estelle Sanders and accompanied by Mrs. Irene Nelson will present "The Song of Christmas" at the Sunday evening church hour Sunday night, beginning at 7:30.

It is the story of the Nativity as told in Christmas songs, carols, and Biblical verses, by Roy Ringwald, and is a Fred Waring choral arrangement. Soloists are Mrs. J. B. Bradley, Mrs. Ben Simpson, F. H. Riggs, and W. R. Cain. The narrator is James W. Parkerson.

The complete program is as follows:

"Adoramus Te Christe" — Palestrina.

"The Angel Gabriel" — an English carol.

"Then Sing We All", from the Ave Maria".

"Companions, All Sing Loudly", a Basque carol.

"Veni Emmanuel," ancient plain song hymn.

"A Virgin Unspotted", Stainer.

"To Us Is Born A Little Child," from the collection of J. Spangenburg, 1544.

"While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks by Night," Tate.

"Angeles We Have Heard On High," a French carol.

"Christians Awake, Salute The Happy Morn," Byrom.

"What Child Is This?" Dix.

"Epiphanias," (the postlude), Hugo Wolf.

"We Three Kings of Orient Are," Hopkins.

"Adeste Fideles," (Instrumental.)

"Eastern Monarchs Sages Three," tr. G. R. Woodward.

"Unto Us A Boy Is Born," Latin Carol.

"The Three Kings," Flemish carol.

"Joseph Dear, O Joseph Mine," German cradle song.

"Cantique De Noel," Adam.

"O Most Holy," Sicilian.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

Baptist Choir To Give Pageant At Sterlington

STERLINGTON, Dec. 19 (Special) — A Nativity pageant will be presented by members of the Sterlington First Baptist Church Sunday night, Dec. 20, at 7:30 p.m., Billy Joe Milstead, choir director of the church, announces.

The pageant will be entitled "The Spirit of Christmas," which, Milstead said, "beautifully portrays the birth of Christ, in music and pantomime.

Biblical characters will be portrayed as follows: Mary, Alice Jo Lipsey; Joseph, Charles McBeth; Angel, Virginia Brunson; Shepherds, Oguilva McDougle, Bill Cain and Lester Roan; Kings, Charles Puckett, Lamar Rogers, and Jerry Carter.

Warren Gay will serve as narrator, and W. A. Bradshaw, as accompanist.

Members of the choir and Dr. T. J. Welch, pastor, have extended an invitation to the general public.

Cantata Will Be Presented By Gordon Ave.

The choir of the Gordon Avenue Methodist Church, under the direction of Mr. Homer Cook, will present the Christmas Cantata, "The Heavenly Message" by Edith Lang, Sunday, 5:00 o'clock.

The Cantata will consist of:

Prelude (night) organ solo, Mrs. Ella Frances Cantrell.

1. There were shepherds abiding in the field tenor and bass recitative, and soprano solo.
2. Shepherds, up then up, and then away, Chorus choir.
3. What child is this? Soprano solo and chorus.
4. The virgin's cradle-song . . . alto solo.
5. There is a flower . . . sorpano trio, and alto and tenor.
6. Say, ye holy shepherds, say . . . chorus choir.

You are invited to hear them. It will be presented at 5:00 o'clock instead of 7:30 p. m. You will have time to come and hear the cantata and then go to your church for the evening service.

Members of choir are: Alto, Fay Cook, Molly Naff, Ann Magowan and Elaine Hesketh; soprano, Mrs. Peggy Corry, Mrs. Lois Timmerman, Beth Ellebre, Yvonne Russel, Patsy White, Sue Elliott, Carolyn Fleming, Barbara Elliott, Jo Ann Gibson, Alice May, Dale Fleming, Barbara Keise, Linda Smith, and Kay Cantrell; tenor, Billie Taylor and Jimmie Branch; bass: Buddy Zeagler, George Phillips, Charles Magown, Archie Pearson, Maford Keise, Ronnie Stark and Tom Naff.

Today's YOUR GUIDING STAR Messages:

0. Prov. 11:25 — A liberal man will be enriched.
1. Luke 6:38. — Give, and it will be given to you; good measure, running over, will be put into your lap.
2. Acts 20:35 — It is more blessed to give than to receive.
3. Gal. 6:10. — As we have opportunity, let us do good to all men.
4. Prov. 22:1 — A good name is to be chosen rather than great riches, and favor is better than silver or gold.

Christmas Eve Communion Service

A candlelight Communion service will be held in the First Presbyterian Church Thursday night, December 24, from 11:00 p.m. to midnight. The service will consist of a meditation by the minister, W. H. McFadden, entitled, "Peace and Good Will," the singing of familiar carols and special music led by the choir of the church, and will be concluded with the sacrament of the Lord's Supper. What better way could we start Christmas than to come to church, partake of the Lord's Supper, and offer thanks to God for the gift of His Son? The First Presbyterian Church opens its doors for all those who desire to come and worship on this occasion.

A baptismal service for infants will be held in the sanctuary today, December 20 at 5:00 p.m.

JOY Gift PROGRAM

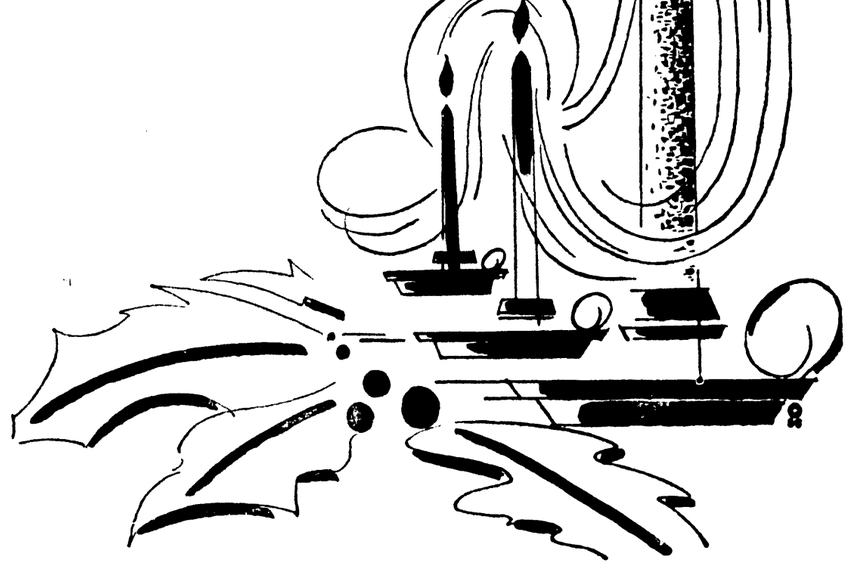
FOR AGED MINISTERS

First Presbyterian Church

GRAMMONT AND CATALPA STS.

SUNDAY DECEMBER 20

5:30 P. M.



CANDLE LIGHTING SERVICE

"The Light of Life"

Leader: The Rev. W. H. McFadden

Readers: Ben Patterson and I. T. Landhy

Candle Lighter: Bobby Johnson

Primary, Juniors, Pioneer and Adult Choirs will participate in the singing of the Carols. The Elders and Deacons will assist with the candle lighting service.

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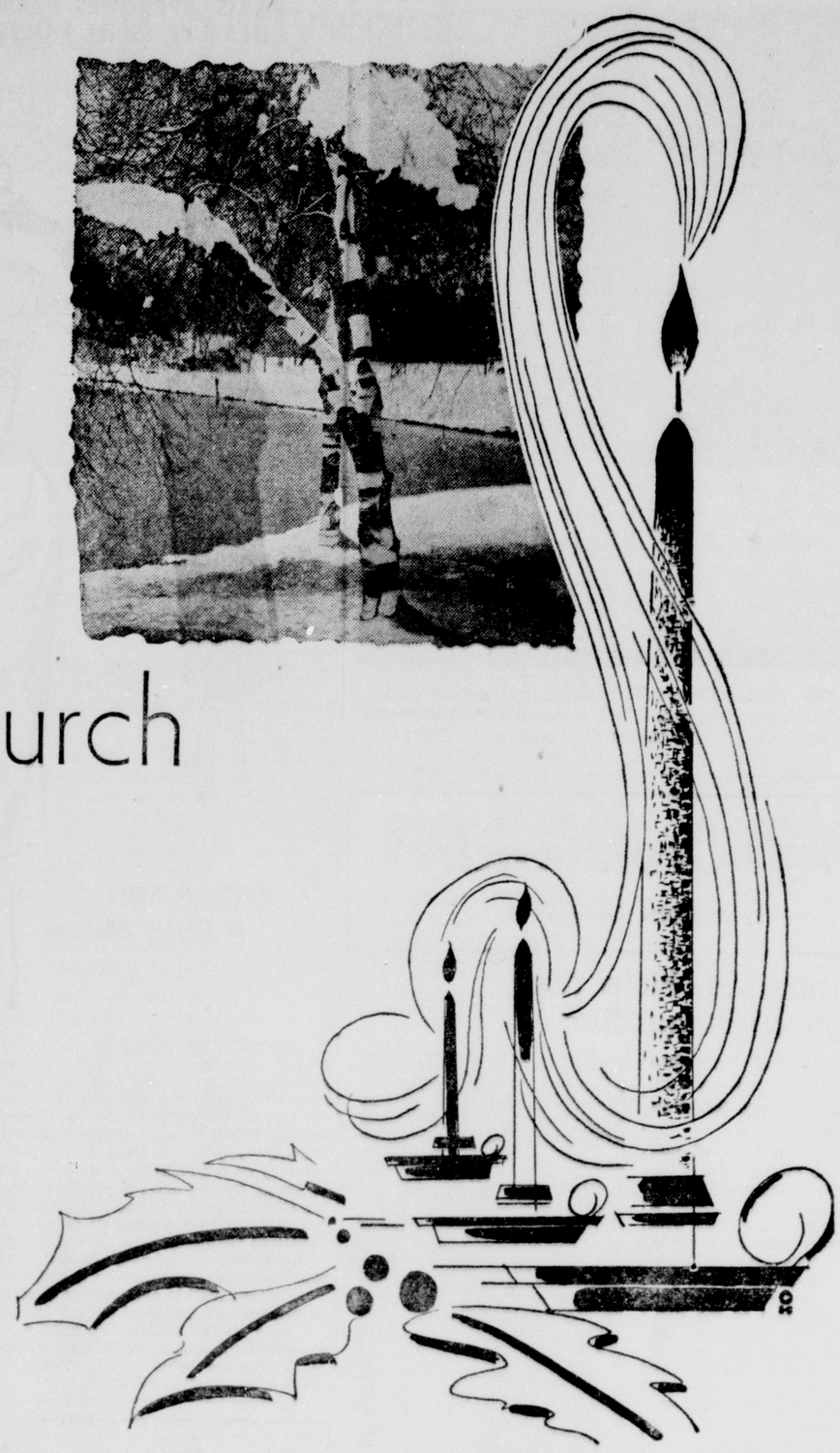

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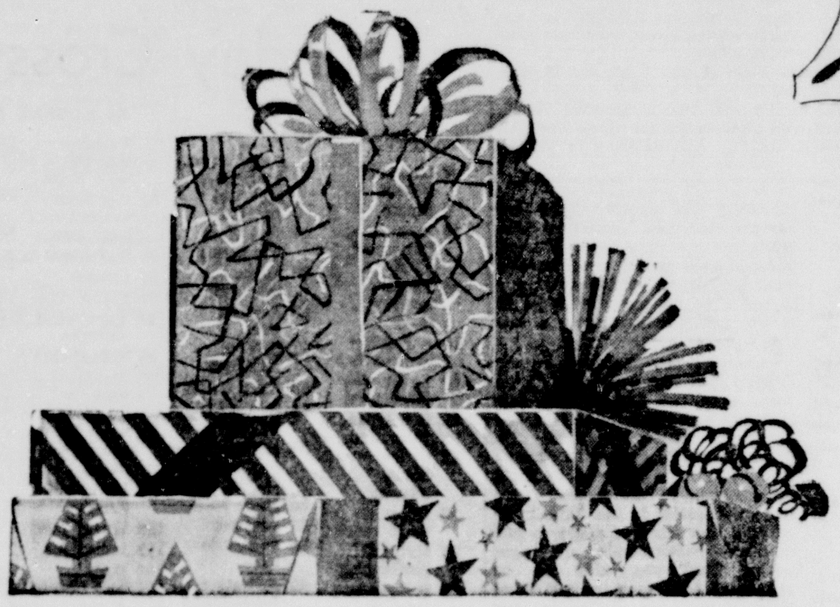

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MARINE BAND—The famed United States Marine Band will be presented weekly over a local radio station beginning today for a 15-minute program. Often termed "the President's Own," the band has recently completed recording a new series of programs in Washington.

Marine Band To Be Presented In Weekly Program

For everyone who enjoys a parade or concert in the park, the new Marine Band Radio Show, beginning at 1 p.m. today will be a real treat. Produced by Headquarters, U. S. Marine Corps, the new transcribed series features the entire Marine Band under the skillful direction of Lt. Col. William F. Santlemann.

Designed to provide a maximum of listenable music, each fifteen minute show includes three martial tunes and one tune in either pop-concert or novelty vein. The music is artfully pegged together by the smooth professional emcee'ing of Marine Staff Sgt. Tom Whalen, whose knowledge and appreciation of good music are apparent from the first introduction.

Quite naturally, the Marines made frequent use of the outstanding marches of "The March King" by the late John Phillip Sousa, himself a former leader of the Marine Band. Among the Sousa marches used are "El Capitan," "Semper Fideles," "The Bride Elect," and "Stars and Stripes Forever." Non-martial music includes "Caprice Brilliant (The Debutante)," "A Southland Medley" and "The Horseless Carriage."

COAL REDUCTION

NEW YORK. — Because of the decline in the use of steam power, the consumption of coal in locomotives in the United States dropped from 100,621,000 tons in 1946 to 32,289,000 tons in 1952, a reduction of 68 per cent.

WORD-A-DAY

By BACH

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Why Grow Old?

By Josephine Lowman

Relaxation May Help You Through Christmas Rush

This is the time of year when it seems silly to say, "Relax" but a time when that word makes us feel jealous. Why not?

Actually a few minutes of rest during the last minute Christmas scramble pays unusual dividends. Just ten minutes once or twice a day, spent limply lying down with cold pads over your eyes while your legs and hips are a bit higher than your head, will renew you and give you better judgment for carrying on the rest of the day.

After a day of shopping and rushing about there are several exercises which you will find most relaxing and which will take only a few minutes. Today I am going to give you a few.

Do It Slowly

One: Stand tall. Let your head and arms and trunk drop forward in a limp, rag doll manner. Now raise your trunk and your arms, bringing your arms to what I call the "star" position. This means that you raise your arms upward, half-way between all the way up and the shoulder-height position, palms face forward. As you raise your trunk and your arms, lower your head backward comfortably. STRETCH. Again drop forward limply and continue. Do this exercise slowly.

Two: Make circles as large as you can with your shoulders. Let your arms hang in a relaxed manner. Circle forward for a while and then backward.

Three: Raise your arms overhead, one arm by each ear. Keep the arms in this position as you circle your trunk. Make the circles as large as possible. Circle for a while in one direction and then in the other. Circling makes some women dizzy. If this affects you in that manner circle one way and then the other, alternating.

Trouble Sleeping?

Many persons who usually sleep well sometimes have trouble when they are feeling the pressure of many things to do. We all experience pressure at this season. It is a good idea to solve your problems, at least on paper, if this is your difficulty.

I myself usually sleep well, but sometimes when I cannot go to sleep I find that it is because I am thinking about what I have to do tomorrow or this week. I sometimes get up at 1 a.m. to make lists and have afterwards slept like a baby. It is worth trying. It may work for you also.

Tomorrow: "Make List Before Rushing Into Last Minute Shopping."

THIS IS one of several exercises given today which you will find most relaxing and which will only take a few minutes.

Reds Say U. S. Soldier Has Fled To Soviet Zone

BERLIN, Dec. 20 (AP)—The official East German news agency, ADN said tonight an American soldier has entered the Soviet zone and asked for asylum.

ADN identified the soldier as Clifford Murphy. No address was given.

The agency quoted a letter it said was written by Murphy. It read in part:

"I have come to the East German republic as I reject being a soldier any longer, for I know that America is planning a third world war against Russia.

"I hate service in the American Army, which has aggressive intentions of bringing about a new world war against peace-loving countries. For this reason I have decided to break with the American Army for good and ask for the right to stay in the German democratic republic."

The letter, ADN said, was signed "Soldier Clifford Murphy" and dated Dec. 9.

American authorities withheld comment pending a check of the records of missing men.

QUICKIES By Ken Reynolds

"Oh, I s'pose that's alright—but with News-Star—World Want Ads I get the same thing—only easier!"

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Your Problems

By ANN LANDERS

Dear Mrs. Landers: I hope you won't think I am a dummy or a dope, but since the step I am considering is a serious one I need your help. I am 26, have a good education and job and for the past year have been dating an 18-year-old girl whom I love and want to marry. However, my mother says the girl is too young and "flighty." Don't get my mother wrong. I am not tied to her apron strings as we are a large family. I am one of five children. The girl is an only child, has never worked and is very much under her parents' influence; they approve of me. Do you think 18 is too young for marriage? Many girls of that age marry. Are not some of the unions successful? My mother was 18 when she married. Then, why not this girl? — Mark.

No, I don't think you are a dummy and between yore ma and me, we are not going to let you be a dope!

No one can arbitrarily say that an 18-year-old girl is not ready for marriage. An 18-year-old girl who has assumed responsibility at home and who has had her share of tough breaks without faltering can well be ready for marriage. On the other hand, an 18-year-old gal (or even one of 22) who is an only child and-or who has been sheltered and pampered by her parents is most definitely not ready for marriage — unless her husband is prepared to continue to treat her like a spoiled child and is ready to let her run home to mother every time he looks at her with crossed eyes.

Since your mother has no reason to keep your feet under her dining room table, you can bet your last cent that her judgment is fair, and absolutely correct about the girl. Parents aren't so dumb (though some of you kids seem to think contrarywise); marriages were more successful in the days when parents had more of a say-so and matched backgrounds and ages better than you kids do on your own. Let's give the girl more time to grow up. Better to wait than to be sorry.

Dear Mrs. Landers: I am 19 and have been married for five years to a man 13 years my senior. We have two children. During the last three years I have been very unhappy as I do not love my husband and do not know whether I ever did — how could a kid of 14 know what she was doing? We fight all of the time. He doesn't care to dance and it seems we are always in debt and can't go out much. We have broken up several times but he will not let me keep the children; if I do, he will not support them. I am now thinking of giving them to him but don't know whether I could. Must I pay for my mistake the rest of my life and live with a man I do not love and miss out on all the fun I should have had when I was a girl?

I feel old at 19. What will it be like for another 12 or 15 years until the children become of age? Sure, you'll say I should act like a married woman. That isn't easy when you're only 19 and have the emotions of a girl! Please advise me. — Confused.

No, I don't say that you have to suffer all your life for the mistake you made at 14 by marrying. But from where I sit, you have now grown up and have to face facts. Neither of us can now help the fact that you did marry when you were 14 (and no one could tell you differently at that time, could they?). But, neither can we close our eyes to the two children who had nothing to do with your mistake. They are entitled to a father and a mother — their own, if possible. And you have no right to give them a broken home and a dubious future just because you missed out on a few dances in the last five years. Your husband must have some worth since he won't let you take his children from him. You had better chalk up the mistakes to experience and think of the children. Once you do that, you and your husband may once again meet on common ground and — who knows, you might even be happy part of the time.

Dear Mrs. Landers: I have been engaged to a girl for the past year. Recently she said that the whole thing was a serious mistake and that she still loved her old boy friend and would never marry me. She offered to return the ring. What should I do? — Broken Hearted.

Take it and give up. What else?

(Ann Landers will be glad to help you with your problems. Send them to her in care of News-Star —World.

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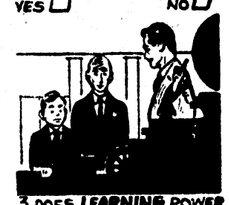

1. DO HAPPY OR UNHAPPY COUPLES THINK MORE HIGHLY OF THEMSELVES? YOUR OPINION _____ 12-19

Answer to Question No. 1

1. Happy. Psychologist E.L. Kelly rated the degree of married happiness of 76 couples. They were then asked to rate themselves and their mates on 36 personality traits — intelligence, co-operation, voice, etc. The Happies tended to rate both themselves and their mates higher than did the Unhappies.

Answer to Question No. 2

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Answer to Question No. 3

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TIMBER CUT HITS PEAK

WASHINGTON — The timber harvest from the country's national forests during fiscal 1953 reached a new record, 5,160,334,000 board feet, valued at $70,616,025, the Agriculture Department reports. The harvest represented a rise of 741,824,000 board feet over the cut for the previous fiscal year.

OTTAWA. — According to recent estimates of the Canadian Bureau of Statistics, the hogs on farms in Canada June 1 totaled 4,447,000 head, or 23 per cent fewer than the 5,741,000 recorded on the like date in 1952.

Sunday Crossword Puzzle

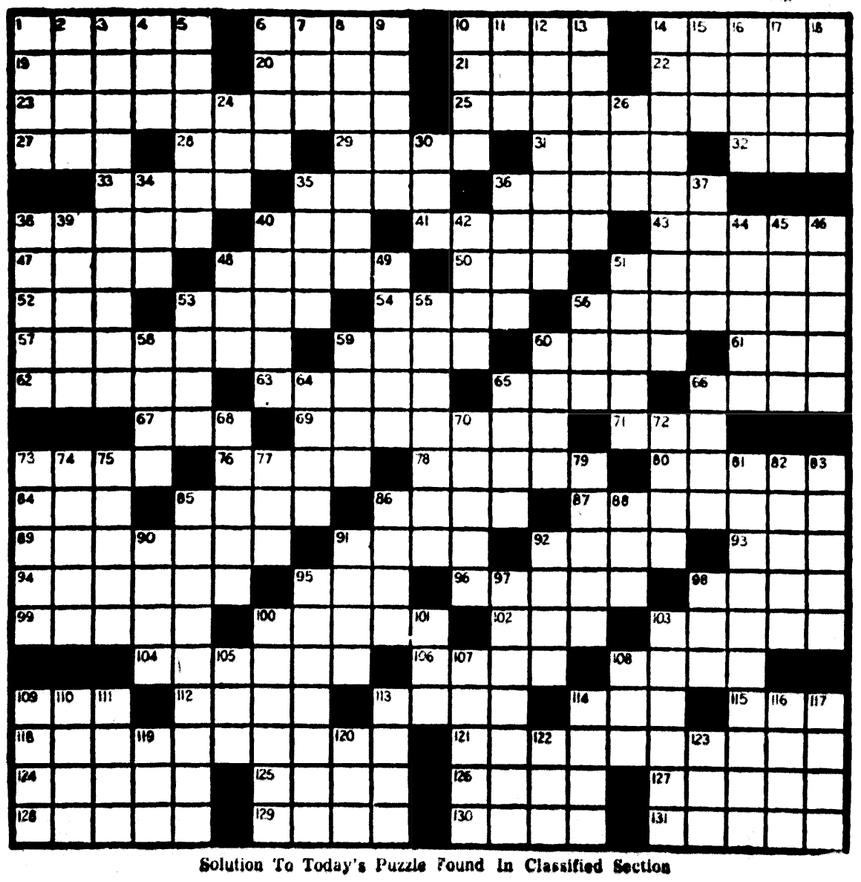
By EUGENE MALESKA

ACROSS

1 Barnyard towers
6 Single
10 Jack ——, "Dragnet" actor
14 Cattle owner's mark
19 A ranch, for instance
20 Texas has the largest
21 Cry of exhilaration
22 Hindu noblewoman
23 Guest on a dude ranch
25 Mythical lumberjack
27 It flows into English Channel
28 Bambi's mother
29 Kind of "egg"
31 Cougar's cousin
32 Bronco busting, for instance
33 College in Portland, Ore.
35 Product of 121 across
36 Port on Black Sea
38 —— Canyon
40 Money in Osaka
41 Bound, as an old baseball
43 "—— Deus." (God enriches): motto of Arizona
47 The West has plenty
48 Texas longhorn
50 Always: Poet.
51 City in Michigan
52 C.G.S. unit
53 Hay on a wagon
54 High pommel of saddle
56 Meat rolls
57 Lacking
59 Venus de ——
60 Adjective for Galahad
61 Gambler's "kitty"
62 Canary's relative
63 Black
65 Sharp
66 Male sheep
67 Legal affair
69 Uranium is one
71 Untidy dwelling
73 Custer's —— stand
76 Carl Sandburg is one
78 Peers curiously
80 Exclamations
84 Generation
85 View from Galveston
86 Warden's problem
87 Washington, the —— State
89 City near Crater Lake, Ore.
91 Incitement
92 Lament
93 Three: Pre.
94 Very good children
95 French coin
96 Mount ——, peak in Colorado
98 Ancestor of the Hanovers
99 Silver or Trigger
100 Waste land
102 Individual
103 Dads
104 The Mojave is one
106 Associate
108 Writer of sealed room mysteries
109 Girl's nickname
112 Faction which exiled Dante
113 Homeric work
114 "Porker" Abilene's greatest hero
115 Natives of Centennial State
121 Where Death Valley is
124 Alamagordo's county
125 Short jacket
126 Elbow's counterpart
127 Venetian rulers
128 Walked in water
129 M. Pleven of France
130 Fly high
131 Bridal path

DOWN

1 Surfeit
2 Mountain goat
3 Tonto's companion
4 Strange
5 Planted
6 Secure
7 Gold: Sp.
8 Like 31 Across
9 Consumed
10 Cried
11 One of the Gabors
12 City in Colorado
13 Misrepresented
14 Governor of North Dakota
15 Hurried
16 Authoress —— Seton
17 Close to
18 Motorist's minor mishap
24 Fishing equipment
26 Genus of cattle
30 Coterie
34 Tip
35 Intruder in the garden
36 Wide —— spaces
37 Radames' beloved
38 Secluded valleys
39 Street show
40 —— coach
42 Fly a plane
44 City in Florida
45 Accepted truth
46 Exams
48 Descendant
49 River in Germany
51 Rural dance halls
53 Row
55 Capital of Washington
56 "Sioux City ——"
58 Pay ——
59 Shed feathers
60 Male nickname
64 Texas produces the most
65 Make argyles
66 City on Red River
68 Steel on cowboys' heels
70 Wear away
72 Slender
73 Tibetan priests
74 Ten-per-center
75 Marsh plant
77 "—— Faithful" at Yellow stone
79 Stone of ——
81 Name of 3 resorts in West
82 Arterial trunk
83 Cowboys' upward views
85 State flower of Nebraska
86 Defeat
88 Owns
90 What cattle need
91 Annapolis mascot
92 Numerous
95 Arranged in rows
97 Lassen Peak in 121 Across
98 Spike of grain
100 Cowboy
101 Chance
103 Summerhouse
105 Rachel Carson's subject
107 Small quantities
108 Cost insurance, freight: Abbr.
109 Barge
110 Jot
111 Yukon vehicle
113 Victim of feudalism
114 Breakwater
116 Port on Baltic
117 Bed of roses
119 Miner's quest
120 —— compos mentis
122 He wrote "The Wonderful Country"
123 Any French king



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MARINE BAND—The famed United States Marine Band will be presented weekly over a local radio station beginning today for a 15-minute program. Often termed "the President's Own," the band has recently completed recording a new series of programs in Washington.

Marine Band To Be Presented In Weekly Program

For everyone who enjoys a parade or concert in the park, the new Marine Band Radio Show, beginning at 1 p.m. today will be a real treat. Produced by Headquarters, U. S. Marine Corps, the new transcribed series features the entire Marine Band under the skillful direction of Lt. Col. William F. Santlemann.

Designed to provide a maximum of listenable music, each fifteen minute show includes three martial tunes and one tune in either pop-concert or novelty vein. The music is artfully pegged together by the smooth professional emcee'ing of Marine Staff Sgt. Tom Whalen, whose knowledge and appreciation of good music are apparent from the first introduction.

Quite naturally, the Marines made frequent use of the outstanding marches of "The March King" by the late John Phillip Sousa, himself a former leader of the Marine Band. Among the Sousa marches used are "El Capitan," "Semper Fideles," "The Bride Elect," and "Stars and Stripes Forever." Non-martial music includes "Caprice Brilliant (The Debutante)," "A Southland Medley" and "The Horseless Carriage."

COAL REDUCTION

NEW YORK. — Because of the decline in the use of steam power, the consumption of coal in locomotives in the United States dropped from 100,621,000 tons in 1946 to 32,289,000 tons in 1952, a reduction of 68 per cent.

Why Grow Old?

By Josephine Lowman

Relaxation May Help You Through Christmas Rush

This is the time of year when it seems silly to say, "Relax" but a time when that word makes us feel jealous. Why not?

Actually a few minutes of rest during the last minute Christmas scramble pays unusual dividends. Just ten minutes once or twice a day, spent limply lying down with cold pads over your eyes while your legs and hips are a bit higher than your head, will renew you and give you better judgment for carrying on the rest of the day.

After a day of shopping and rushing about there are several exercises which you will find most relaxing and which will take only a few minutes. Today I am going to give you a few.

Do It Slowly

One: Stand tall. Let your head and arms and trunk drop forward in a limp, rag doll manner. Now raise your trunk and your arms, bringing your arms to what I call the "star" position. This means that you raise your arms upward, half-way between all the way up and the shoulder-height position, palms face forward. As you raise your trunk and your arms, lower your head backward comfortably. STRETCH. Again drop forward limply and continue. Do this exercise slowly.

Two: Make circles as large as you can with your shoulders. Let your arms hang in a relaxed manner. Circle forward for a while and then backward.

Three: Raise your arms overhead, one arm by each ear. Keep the arms in this position as you circle your trunk. Make the circles as large as possible. Circle for a while in one direction and then in the other. Circling makes some women dizzy. If this affects you in that manner circle one way and then the other, alternating.

Trouble Sleeping?

Many persons who usually sleep well sometimes have trouble when they are feeling the pressure of many things to do. We all experience pressure at this season. It is a good idea to solve your problems, at least on paper, if this is your difficulty.

I myself usually sleep well, but sometimes when I cannot go to sleep I find that it is because I am thinking about what I have to do tomorrow or this week. I sometimes get up at 1 a.m. to make lists and have afterwards slept like a baby. It is worth trying. It may work for you also.

Tomorrow: "Make List Before Rushing Into Last Minute Shopping."

THIS IS one of several exercises given today which you will find most relaxing and which will only take a few minutes.

Reds Say U. S. Soldier Has Fled To Soviet Zone

BERLIN, Dec. 20 (AP)—The official East German news agency, ADN said tonight an American soldier has entered the Soviet zone and asked for asylum.

ADN identified the soldier as Clifford Murphy. No address was given.

The agency quoted a letter it said was written by Murphy. It read in part:

"I have come to the East German republic as I reject being a soldier any longer, for I know that America is planning a third world war against Russia.

"I hate service in the American Army, which has aggressive intentions of bringing about a new world war against peace-loving countries. For this reason I have decided to break with the American Army for good and ask for the right to stay in the German democratic republic."

The letter, ADN said, was signed "Soldier Clifford Murphy" and dated Dec. 9.

American authorities withheld comment pending a check of the records of missing men.

QUICKIES By Ken Reynolds

"Oh, I s'pose that's alright—but with News-Star—World Want Ads I get the same thing—only easier!"

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by Philip Hulitar

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Your Problems

By ANN LANDERS

Dear Mrs. Landers: I hope you won't think I am a dummy or a dope, but since the step I am considering is a serious one I need your help. I am 26, have a good education and job and for the past year have been dating an 18-year-old girl whom I love and want to marry. However, my mother says the girl is too young and "flighty." Don't get my mother wrong. I am not tied to her apron strings as we are a large family. I am one of five children. The girl is an only child, has never worked and is very much under her parents' influence; they approve of me. Do you think 18 is too young for marriage? Many girls of that age marry. Are not some of the unions successful? My mother was 18 when she married. Then, why not this girl? — Mark.

No, I don't think you are a dummy and between yore ma and me, we are not going to let you be a dope!

No one can arbitrarily say that an 18-year-old girl is not ready for marriage. An 18-year-old girl who has assumed responsibility at home and who has had her share of tough breaks without faltering can well be ready for marriage. On the other hand, an 18-year-old gal (or even one of 22) who is an only child and-or who has been sheltered and pampered by her parents is most definitely not ready for marriage — unless her husband is prepared to continue to treat her like a spoiled child and is ready to let her run home to mother every time he looks at her with crossed eyes.

Since your mother has no reason to keep your feet under her dining room table, you can bet your last cent that her judgment is fair, and absolutely correct about the girl. Parents aren't so dumb (though some of you kids seem to think contrarywise); marriages were more successful in the days when parents had more of a say-so and matched backgrounds and ages better than you kids do on your own. Let's give the girl more time to grow up. Better to wait than to be sorry.

Dear Mrs. Landers: I am 19 and have been married for five years to a man 13 years my senior. We have two children. During the last three years I have been very unhappy as I do not love my husband and do not know whether I ever did — how could a kid of 14 know what she was doing? We fight all of the time. He doesn't care to dance and it seems we are always in debt and can't go out much. We have broken up several times but he will not let me keep the children; if I do, he will not support them. I am now thinking of giving them to him but don't know whether I could. Must I pay for my mistake the rest of my life and live with a man I do not love and miss out on all the fun I should have had when I was a girl?

I feel old at 19. What will it be like for another 12 or 15 years until the children become of age? Sure, you'll say I should act like a married woman. That isn't easy when you're only 19 and have the emotions of a girl! Please advise me. — Confused.

No, I don't say that you have to suffer all your life for the mistake you made at 14 by marrying. But from where I sit, you have now grown up and have to face facts. Neither of us can now help the fact that you did marry when you were 14 (and no one could tell you differently at that time, could they?). But, neither can we close our eyes to the two children who had nothing to do with your mistake. They are entitled to a father and a mother — their own, if possible. And you have no right to give them a broken home and a dubious future just because you missed out on a few dances in the last five years. Your husband must have some worth since he won't let you take his children from him. You had better chalk up the mistakes to experience and think of the children. Once you do that, you and your husband may once again meet on common ground and — who knows, you might even be happy part of the time.

Dear Mrs. Landers: I have been engaged to a girl for the past year. Recently she said that the whole thing was a serious mistake and that she still loved her old boy friend and would never marry me. She offered to return the ring. What should I do? — Broken Hearted.

Take it and give up. What else?

(Ann Landers will be glad to help you with your problems. Send them to her in care of News-Star —World.

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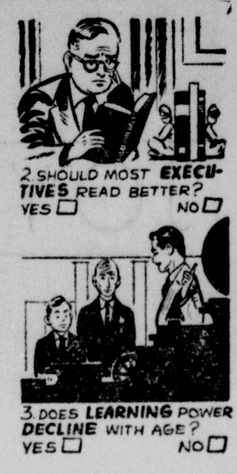

Answer to Question No. 1

1. Happy. Psychologist E.L. Kelly rated the degree of married happiness of 76 couples. They were then asked to rate themselves and their mates on 36 personality traits — intelligence, co-operation, voice, etc. The Happies tended to rate both themselves and their mates higher than did the Unhappies.

Answer to Question No. 2

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Answer to Question No. 3

3. No. Psychologists have shown that your "learning speed peak" drops slightly, beginning at about the age of 27. But your learning power peak steadily rises to about the age of 25, and never drops after that, provided you take more time. Learning speed declines slowly, but learning power never declines. Take more time and you're as good as ever.

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TIMEER CUT HITS PEAK

WASHINGTON — The timber harvest from the country's national forests during fiscal 1953 reached a new record, 5,160,334,000 board feet, valued at $70,616,025, the Agriculture Department reports. The harvest represented a rise of 741,824,000 board feet over the cut for the previous fiscal year.

OTTAWA. — According to recent estimates of the Canadian Bureau of Statistics, the hogs on farms in Canada June 1 totaled 4,447,000 head, or 23 per cent fewer than the 5,741,000 recorded on the like date in 1952.

Sunday Crossword Puzzle

By EUGENE MALESKA

ACROSS

1 Barnyard towers
6 Single
10 Jack ——, "Dragnet" actor
14 Cattle owner's mark
19 A ranch, for instance
20 Texas has the largest
21 Cry of exhilaration
22 Hindu noblewoman
23 Guest on a dude ranch
25 Mythical lumberjack
27 It flows into English Channel
28 Bambi's mother
29 Kind of "egg"
31 Cougar's cousin
32 Bronco busting, for instance
33 College in Portland, Ore.
35 Product of 121 across
36 Port on Black Sea
38 —— Canyon
40 Money in Osaka
41 Bound, as an old baseball
43 "—— Deus," (God enriches): motto of Arizona
47 The West has plenty
48 Texas longhorn
50 Always: Poet.
51 City in Michigan
52 C.G.S. unit
53 Hay on a wagon
54 High pommel of saddle
56 Meat rolls
57 Lacking
59 Venus de ——
60 Adjective for Galahad
61 Gambler's "kitty"
62 Canary's relative
63 Black
65 Sharp
66 Male sheep
67 Legal affair
69 Uranium is one
71 Untidy dwelling
73 Custer's —— stand
76 Carl Sandburg is one
78 Peers curiously
80 Exclamations
84 Generation
85 View from Galveston
86 Warden's problem
87 Washington, the —— State
89 City near Crater Lake, Ore.
91 Incitement
92 Lament
93 Three: Pre.
94 Very good children
95 French coin
96 Mount ——, peak in Colorado
98 Ancestor of the Hanovers
99 Silver or Trigger
100 Waste land
102 Individual
103 Dads
104 The Mojave is one
106 Associate
108 Writer of sealed room mysteries
109 Girl's nickname
112 Faction which exiled Dante
113 Homeric work
114 "Porker"
115 Abilene's greatest hero
118 Natives of Centennial State
121 Where Death Valley is
124 Alamagordo's county
125 Short jacket
126 Elbow's counterpart
127 Venetian rulers
128 Walked in water
129 M. Pleven of France
130 Fly high
131 Bridal path

DOWN

1 Surfeit
2 Mountain goat
3 Tonto's companion
4 Strange
5 Planted
6 Secure
7 Gold: Sp.
8 Like 31 Across
9 Consumed
10 Cried
11 One of the Gabors
12 City in Colorado
13 Misrepresented
14 Governor of North Dakota
15 Hurried
16 Authoress —— Seton
17 Close to
18 Motorist's minor mishap
24 Fishing equipment
26 Genus of cattle
30 Coterie
34 Tip
35 Intruder in the garden
36 Wide —— spaces
37 Radames' beloved
38 Secluded valleys
39 Street show
40 —— coach
42 Fly a plane
44 City in Florida
45 Accepted truth
46 Exams
48 Descendant
49 River in Germany
51 Rural dance halls
53 Row
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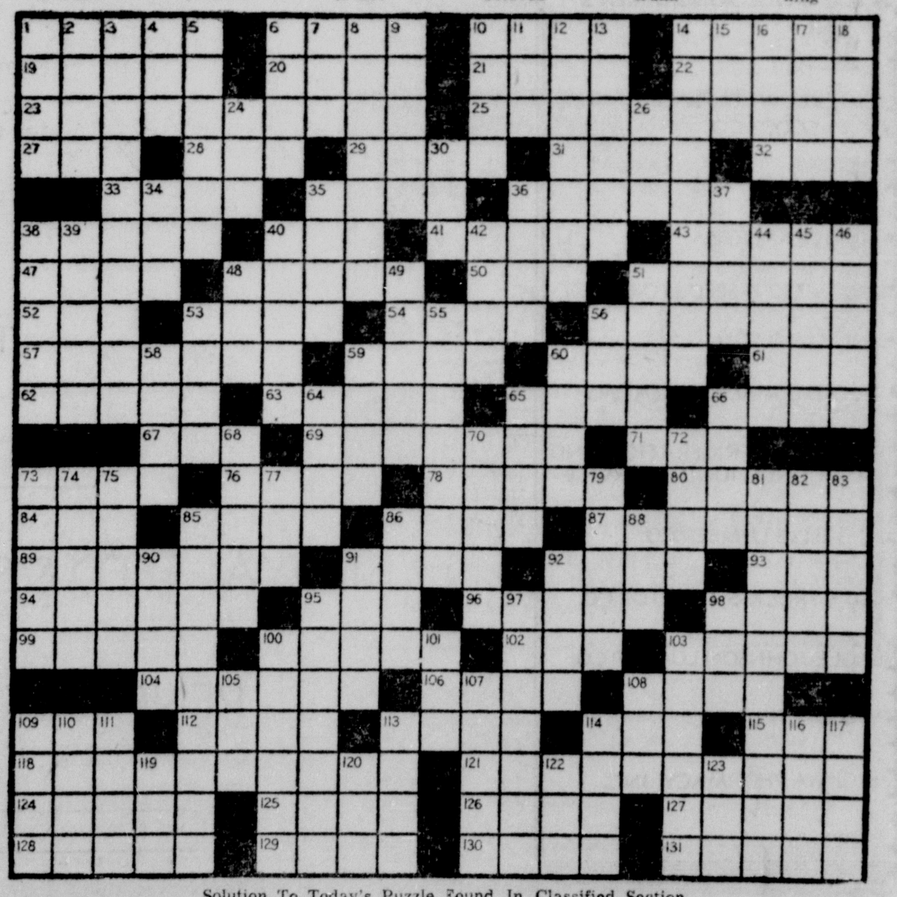

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PLUNDER OF THE SUN — Glenn Ford and Diana Lynn appear in Warner Bros.' story of a modern-day treasure hunt filmed against a backdrop of an Aztec civilization more than 2,000 years old in the film "Plunder of the Sun." The action-drama, which opens its regular run today at the Paramount Theatre was filmed in Mexico.

'Plunder Of The Sun' Filmed In Zapotec Ruins Of Mexico

"Plunder of the Sun," a new adventure film photographed in the locale of the story, the Zapotec ruins near Oaxaca, Mexico, opens today at the Paramount Theatre. The jungle - covered site was reportedly selected because the story of the picture deals with an attempt to solve the mystery of the great ruins which have stood for over 2,000 years. Glenn Ford, Diana Lynn and Patricia Medina star.

Glenn Ford plays the role of an American, broke and stranded in Mexico. Hired to deliver a harmless - appearing packet to Oaxaca, Ford's path is crossed by Diana Lynn and a new screen menace, Sean McClory. When Ford discovers that the package he is carrying contains the secret of the wealth of the ancient Aztecs, he strikes out with Patricia Medina to solve the mystery of the Zapotec treasure. Adventure and romance follow as the principals meet amid the colorful temples and palaces which rise ominously above the Mayan jungle.

"Plunder Of The Sun," a Wayne-Fellows production for Warner Bros., finds Diana Lynn in a new departure from her customary "sweet" roles. She portrays Julie Barnes, a provocative, tough-talking, blonde, who tries to entice Glenn Ford into giving her the treasure document.

English - born Patricia Medina appears as Glenn Ford's partner in his adventurous wanderings. By going to Mexico for "Plunder Of The Sun," Miss Medina kept intact her record of never having made two consecutive pictures in the same country. Her previous film was made in Hollywood, and she has starred in pictures in England, France and elsewhere in Europe. Her linguistic ability automatically made her official interpreter for the American troupe.

John Farrow, noted as a serious writer as well as a director, guided the action of the film which was based on a novel by David Dodge. The screenplay was written by Jonathan Latimer.

AT THE THEATRES

Paramount Theatre

Today through Tuesday "Plunder of the Sun" starring Glenn Ford, Diana Lynn and Patricia Medina.

Wednesday and Thursday Barbara Stanwyck starring in a woman in "Jeopardy."

Friday and Saturday Rhonda Fleming, Gene Barry and Agnes Moorehead in the big technicolor musical "These Redheads from Seattle."

Midnight show Saturday Jane Powell and Gordon MacRae in "Three Sailors and A Girl." Filmed in color by technicolor.

Delta Theatre

Sunday and Monday — "Gun Belt" with George Montgomery and Tab Hunter.

Tuesday and Wednesday — "Fort Algiers" with Yvonne DeCarlo and Carlos Thompson, and "Jungle Woman" with Evelyn Ankers.

Thursday, Friday and Saturday —"The Bandits of Corsica" with Richard Greene and Paula Raymond, and "El Paso Stampede" with Allen "Rocky" Lane.

Jim Theatre

Today through Tuesday — "Veils of Bagdad," with Victor Mature, Mari Blanchard, and Virginia Fields.

Starts Wednesday — "Wings of the Hawk," with Van Heflin and Julia Adams.

MEAT EXPORTS PLUNGE

MEXICO CITY — Mexican exports of principal meat products during the first six months of 1953 totaled slightly more than 16,000,000 pounds, a substantial decline from the 44,000,000 pounds exported during the comparable period of 1952. Nearly all Mexico's exported meat went to the United States.

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Sunday Morning				
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6:00	Musical Memories Musical Memories Musical Memories News	News Summary Your Hymns Mine News in Brief Southland Singing	Ns Conc. Min'ture Rev Keal	Ev'Ready Qt. Southland Melodies News-C. Choir
7:00	Quartet Sings Morning Melodies Pleasant Platters Pleasant Platters	News Sumary Meth Men Hr. Festival Waltze Sunday School	Rev Keal The Missionairs Ray Block Show Ray Block Show	Protestant Radio Protestant Radio Renfro Valley Renfro Valley
8:00	Trenton Baptist Hour Jimmie Davis Sh. A'bly of God Ch.	Brotherhood Hour Brotherhood Hour Light & Life Hour Light & Life Hour	World News Jimmie Davis Sh. Voice of the South Voice of South	Renfro Valley CBS News Jimmie Davis Let's Read
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10:00	Music Easy Listening Back To God Back To God	Grace Episcopal Your Man Sunday Message of Israel Message of Israel	Faultless Starch Music For Sunday Music For Sunday Music For Sunday	Salt Lak City Tabernace Ch. Broadmoor Bapt. Ch. Local Svs.
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Sunday Afternoon				
12:00	N'time Melodies N'time Melodies Lutheran Hour Lutheran Hour	News-Hour Of Charm Musical Questions Musical Questions	World Concert Hall Univ. of Chicago Roundtable	News- Invitation To Learning Sounding Board
1:00	Musical Mixture Musical Mixture Sammy Kaye Sh. Sammy Kaye Sh.	News-U. S. Mars. U. S. Marine Bnd Proudly We Hail Proudly We Hail	Rev. Waldrep Jsn KNOE Globetrot'r American Forum of the Air	Symphonettes Symphonettes N.Y. Philh'monic N.Y. Philh'monic
2:00	18 Top Hits Melody Time Mr. District Attorney	Herald of Truth Herald of Truth Hour of Decision Hour of Decision	Christian Science Sacred Hymn Lyn Murray Sh. Lyn Murray Sh.	N.Y. Philh'monic N.Y. Philh'monic N.Y. Philh'monic N.Y. Philh'monic
3:00	Under Arrest Under Arrest Crime Fighters Crime Fighters	Revival Revival Revival Revival	Weekend Weekend Weekend Weekend	Lullaby of Christmas-Peck The World Today The World Today
4:00	The Shadow The Shadow True Detective True Detective	News-Ev'ing Cms The Ev'ing Comes Greatest Story Ever Told	Weekend Weekend Weekend Weekend	Don Ewing The Top Ten The Top Ten The Top Four
5:00	Nick Carter Nick Carter Squad Room Squad Room	Headlines Date In Holl'od Tex Beneke Show Don Cornell Show	B Considine, Nws Drew Pearson NBC Symphony NBC Symphony	Gene Autry Gene Autry Our Miss Brooks Our Miss Brooks
Sunday Evening				
6:00	Melody Time Melody Time Forward March Guest Star	News -This Week Around World Name of That Song	NBC Symphony NBC Symphony The Marriage The Marriage	Jack Benny Jack Benny Amos 'n Andy Amos 'n Andy
7:00	Hawaii Calls Hawaii Calls Candlelight & Silver	Jimmy Fiddler Wayne King Wayne King George Sok'osky	Six Shooter Six Shooter NBC Star Playhouse.	Bing Crosby Show My Little Margie My Little Margie
8:00	Parkview Baptist Church Platter Parade Platter Parade	Walter Winchell Taylor Grant Boys Town Choir Boys Town Choir	NBC Star Playhouse. News Stroke of Fate Stroke of Fate	Hallmark Hall of Fame. Edgar Bergan & Charlie M'Car'y
9:00	Showcase of Hits Showcase of Hits Concert in Jass Concert in Jass	Sammy Kaye Sammy Kaye Paul Harvey Your Record Rck	Last Man Out Last Man Out Evening Meditations	Gene Autry Gene Autry Two for the Money
10:00	Ed Pettit News Dance Orchestra Dance Orchestra Dance Or., News	News Beyond The Stars Revival Time Revival Time	Catholic Hour Catholic Hour Meet The Press Meet The Press	Dav Hagll, News I Believe-Music The Messiah The Messiah
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Last Darbar Of Year Slated For Monday Night

The last Darbar of Swami Santha No. 102, Nomads of Avrudaka for year of 1953 will be on Monday, December 21, Castle Hall, 127½ St. John St., and the time will be 7:30 p.m.

Rani Callie Crow, Swami Santha No. 102, states will be very important Darbar as the election of new officers for year 1954 will be held and all Nomads must have 1954 receipts to vote at election.

After Darbar closes, all Nomads will retire to second floor where a Christmas party will be held with a Christmas tree and program and a red Santa Claus.

Rani Callie Crow states each lady bring a lady's gift and each man a man's gift for Christmas tree. All Nomads wear Fez.

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Edwin Scholling, Jr., 24, Fort Lauderdale, Fla., and Patricia Carolyn Timmerman, 20, Monroe.

Burkett Theo May, 22, West Monroe, and Lottie Maxine Thigpen, 21, Sikes.

Donald R. Spencer, 34, and Jessie Nina Stephenson, 20, both of Monroe.

In Hollywood

By Jimmy Fidler

With The Law

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On the Classics: RCA-Victor has created what it calls the "peanut gallery" of music—fine music at low prices. The new label, "Camden," sells at $1.89 for a 12-inch LP. Engineers have taped from the original 78-rpm. pressings, added highs, strengthened or reduced lows, broadening the frequency range. If you aren't a hi-fi nut and don't mind your artists cloaked behind pseudonyms, there's a lot of good listening here for a price. First releases include classical light concert, specialty and popular (but not current) selections.

Heflin, Adams Co-Star In Film

An action-adventure on the motion picture screen should be made up of 99.44 per cent action, contends Director Budd Boetticher, whose latest technicolor film for Universal-International is "Wings of the Hawk," starring Van Heflin and Julia Adams. The picture opens next Wednesday at the Jim Theatre.

That premise goes double for a spectacular outdoor picture such as "Wings of the Hawk," says Boetticher. Set against a rugged background, the story has hero Heflin discovering a gold-mine, fighting a pitched battle with corrupt troops, being captured, falling in love with bandit-queen Julia Adams, and setting off a series of spectacular explosions all in breath-taking succession.

Heflin, fresh from the stage when he started "Wings of the Hawk," admitted it was quite a switch.

"But don't misunderstand," he insists, "Just because you don't have lots of words, it doesn't mean you don't have lots of drama. Movies have always been the great medium for dramatic action."

Boetticher, the prophet of action, is also a past-master at it in real-life. An all Big-Ten football lineman at Ohio State University, he wandered into Mexico upon graduation during the depression. There he met Manolete, the great matador, to whom he became apprenticed and developed himself into a full-fledged bull-fighter in the Mexican arenas. He made his bow in Hollywood as instructor in cape technique to Tyrone Power for the bul-fight sequences in "Blood and Sand." After a stint as assistant director he reached cinematic prominence with his direction of "The Bullfighter and the Lady."

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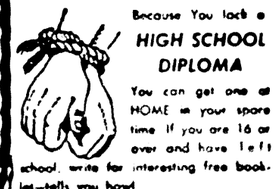

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'Plunder Of The Sun' Filmed In Zapotec Ruins Of Mexico

"Plunder of the Sun," a new adventure film photographed in the locale of the story, the Zapotec ruins near Oaxaca, Mexico, opens today at the Paramount Theatre. The jungle - covered site was reportedly selected because the story of the picture deals with an attempt to solve the mystery of the great ruins which have stood for over 2,000 years. Glenn Ford, Diana Lynn and Patricia Medina star.

Glenn Ford plays the role of an American, broke and stranded in Mexico. Hired to deliver a harmless - appearing packet to Oaxaca, Ford's path is crossed by Diana Lynn and a new screen menace, Sean McClory. When Ford discovers that the package he is carrying contains the secret of the wealth of the ancient Aztecs, he strikes out with Patricia Medina to solve the mystery of the Zapotec treasure. Adventure and romance follow as the principals meet amid the colorful temples and palaces which rise ominously above the Mayan jungle.

"Plunder Of The Sun," a Wayne-Fellows production for Warner Bros., finds Diana Lynn in a new departure from her customary "sweet" roles. She portrays Julie Barnes, a provocative, tough-talking, blonde, who tries to entice Glenn Ford into giving her the treasure document.

English - born Patricia Medina appears as Glenn Ford's partner in his adventurous wanderings. By going to Mexico for "Plunder Of The Sun," Miss Medina kept intact her record of never having made two consecutive pictures in the same country. Her previous film was made in Hollywood, and she has starred in pictures in England, France and elsewhere in Europe. Her linguistic ability automatically made her official interpreter for the American troupe.

John Farrow, noted as a serious writer as well as a director, guided the action of the film which was based on a novel by David Dodge. The screenplay was written by Jonathan Latimer.

AT THE THEATRES

Paramount Theatre

Today through Tuesday "Plunder of the Sun" starring Glenn Ford, Diana Lynn and Patricia Medina.

Wednesday and Thursday Barbara Stanwyck starring in a woman in "Jeopardy."

Friday and Saturday Rhonda Fleming, Gene Barry and Agnes Moorehead in the big technicolor musical "Those Redheads from Seattle."

Midnight show Saturday Jane Powell and Gordon MacRae in "Three Sailors and A Girl." Filmed in color by technicolor.

Delta Theatre

Sunday and Monday — "Gun Belt" with George Montgomery and Tab Hunter.

Tuesday and Wednesday — "Fort Algiers" with Yvonne DeCarlo and Carlos Thompson, and "Jungle Woman" with Evelyn Ankers.

Thursday, Friday and Saturday —"The Bandits of Corsica" with Richard Greene and Paula Raymond, and "El Paso Stampede" with Allen "Rocky" Lane.

Jim Theatre

Today through Tuesday — "Veils of Bagdad," with Victor Mature, Mari Blanchard, and Virginia Fields.

Starts Wednesday — "Wings of the Hawk," with Van Heflin and Julia Adams.

MEAT EXPORTS PLUNGE

MEXICO CITY — Mexican exports of principal meat products during the first six months of 1953 totaled slightly more than 16,000,000 pounds, a substantial decline from the 44,000,000 pounds exported during the comparable period of 1952. Nearly all Mexico's exported meat went to the United States.

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Sunday Morning

5:00	Sign On			
6:00	Musical Memories	News Summary		Ev'Ready Qt
6:15	Musical Memories	Your Hymns Mine		Southland
6:30	Musical Memories	News in Brief	Ns Conc. Min'ture	Melodies
6:45	News	Southland Singing	Rev Keal	News-C Choir
7:00	Quartet Sings	News Sumary	Rev Keal	Protestant Radio
7:15	Morning Melodies	Meth Men Hr.	The Missionairs	Protestant Radio
7:30	Pleasant Platters	Festival Waltze	Ray Block Show	Renfro Valley
7:45	Pleasant Platters	Sunday School	Ray Block Show	Renfro Valley
8:00	Trenton Baptist Hour	Brotherhood Hour	World News	Renfro Valley
8:15	Jimmie Davis Sh.	Brotherhood Hour	Jimmie Davis Sh.	CBS News
8:30	A'bly of God Ch.	Light & Life Hour	Voice of the South	Jimmie Davis
8:45		Light & Life Hour	Voice of South	Let's Read
9:00	Ch. of Christ	West Monroe	Radio Pulpit	The Funnies
9:15	Music by Masters	Baptist Church	Radio Pulpit	Catholic Goodw.
9:30	Voice of Prophecy	Negro Choir	Art of Living	Church of The
9:45	Voice of Prophecy	Negro Choir	D. Pearson, Rptr.	Air
10:00	Music Easy Listening	Grace Episcopal	Faultless Starch	Salt Lak City Tabernace Ch.
10:15	Back To God	Your Man Sunday	Music For Sunday	Broadmoor Bapt.
10:30	Back To God	Message of Israel	Music For Sunday	Ch. Local Svs.
10:45		Message of Israel	Music For Sunday	
11:00	First Method. Church, W. M.	First Presby. Ch.	Church Services	Episcopal Church
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11:30		First Presby. Ch.	Eternal Light	Episcopal Church
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Sunday Afternoon

12:00	N'time Melodies	News-Hour Of Charm	World Concert Hall	News- Invitation To Learning
12:15	N'time Melodies	Musical Questions	Univ. of Chicago	Sounding
12:30	Lutheran Hour	Musical Questoins	Roundtable	Board
12:45	Lutheran Hour			
1:00	Musical Mixture	News-U. S. Mars.	Rev. Waldrep Jsn	Symphonettes
1:15	Musical Mixture	U. S. Marine Bnd	KNOE Globetrot'r	Symphonettes
1:30	Sammy Kaye Sh.	Proudly We Hail	American Forum	N.Y. Philh'monic
1:45	Sammy Kaye Sh.	Proudly We Hail	of the Air	N.Y. Philh'monic
2:00	18 Top Hits	Herald of Truth	Christian Science	N.Y. Philh'monic
2:15	Melody Time	Herald of Truth	Sacred Hymn	N.Y. Philh'monic
2:30	Mr. District	Hour of Decision	Lyn Murray Sh.	N.Y. Philh'monic
2:45	Attorney	Hour of Decision	Lyn Murray Sh.	N.Y. Philh'monic
3:00	Under Arrest	Revival	Weekend	Lullaby of
3:15	Under Arrest	Revival	Weekend	Christmas-Peck
3:30	Crime Fighters	Revival	Weekend	The World Today
3:45	Crime Fighters	Revival	Weekend	The World Today
4:00	The Shadow	News-Ev'ing Cms	Weekend	Don Ewing
4:15	The Shadow	The Ev'ing Comes	Weekend	The Top Ten
4:30	True Detective	Greatest Story	Weekend	The Top Ten
4:45	True Detective	Ever Told	Weekend	The Top Four
5:00	Nick Carter	Headlines	B. Considine, Nws	Gene Autry
5:15	Nick Carter	Date In Holl'od	Drew Pearson	Gene Autry
5:30	Squad Room	Tex Beneke Show	NBC Symphony	Our Miss Brooks
5:45	Squad Room	Don Cornell Show	NBC Symphony	Our Miss Brooks

Sunday Evening

6:00	Melody Time	News -This Week	NBC Symphony	Jack Benny
6:15	Melody Time	Around World	NBC Symphony	Jack Benny
6:30	Forward March	Name of	The Marriage	Amos 'n Andy
6:45	Guest Star	That Song	The Marriage	Amos 'n Andy
7:00	Hawaii Calls	Jimmy Fiddler	Six Shooter	Bing Crosby
7:15	Hawaii Calls	Wayne King	Six Shooter	Show
7:30	Candlelight &	Wayne King	NBC Star Play-	My Little Margie
7:45	Silver	George Sok'osky	house,	My Little Margie
8:00	Parkview Baptist Church	Walter Winchell	NBC Star Play- house, News	Hallmark Hall of Fame.
8:15	Platter Parade	Taylor Grant	Stroke of Fate	Edgar Bergan
8:30	Platter Parade	Boys Town Choir	Stroke of Fate	& Charlie M'Car'y
8:45		Boys Town Choir		
9:00	Showcase of Hits	Sammy Kaye	Last Man Out	Gene Autry
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9:30	Concert in Jazz	Paul Harvey	Evening Medita-	Two for the
9:45	Concert in Jazz	Your Record Rck	tions	Money
10:00	Ed Pettit News	News	Catholic Hour	Dav. Hagli, News
10:15	Dance Orchestra	Beyond The Stars	Catholic Hour	I Believe-Music
10:30	Dance Orchestra	Revival Time	Meet The Press	The Messiah
10:45	Dance Or., News	Revival Time	Meet The Press	The Messiah
11:00	Dance Orchestra	News-Mus in Nite	M'night Column	The Messiah
11:15	Dance Orchestra	Music In The Nite	Music for Moderns	The Messiah
11:30	Dance Orchestra	Music In The Nite	Hollywood Pallad	The Messiah
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12:00	SINE	Sine	SINE	News, 1130 Club
12:15	18 Tops Hits			1130 Club
12:30	Back To God			1130 Club
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1:00				News
1:05				Sine

Last Darbar Of Year Slated For Monday Night

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Rani Callie Crow, Swami Santha No. 102, states will be very important Darbar as the election of new officers for year 1954 will be held and all Nomads must have 1954 receipts to vote at election.

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The Popular Side: Can you guess which were the two biggest money-making records of '53? The Cash Box, juke box magazine, made its annual award to Percy Faith's "The Song From Moulin Rouge" and Teresa Brewer's "Till I Waltz Again With You." . . . Sperie Karas, MGM's young drummer who's trying something new in jazz with "Mambo Stringo," uses strings and flutes and bassoons for his sounds. "And there's nothing sweeter than a bassoon with a boogie beat," says Sperie. . . . Hope this is the end of a trend—the Tune Toppers (MGM) have recorded "Dragnet Polka."

On the Classics: RCA-Victor has created what it calls the "peanut gallery" of music—fine music at low prices. The new label, "Camden," sells at $1.89 for a 12-inch LP. Engineers have taped from the original 78-rpm. pressings, added highs, strengthened or reduced lows, broadening the frequency range. If you aren't a hi-fi nut and don't mind your artists cloaked behind pseudonyms, there's a lot of good listening here for a price. First releases include classical light concert, specialty and popular (but not current) selections.

Heflin, Adams Co-Star In Film

An action-adventure on the motion picture screen should be made up of 99.44 per cent action, contends Director Budd Boetticher, whose latest technicolor film for Universal-International is "Wings of the Hawk," starring Van Heflin and Julia Adams. The picture opens next Wednesday at the Jim Theatre.

That premise goes double for a spectacular outdoor picture such as "Wings of the Hawk," says Boetticher. Set against a rugged background, the story has hero Heflin discovering a gold-mine, fighting a pitched battle with corrupt troops, being captured, falling in love with bandit-queen Julia Adams, and setting off a series of spectacular explosions all in breath-taking succession.

Heflin, fresh from the stage when he started "Wings of the Hawk," admitted it was quite a switch.

"But don't misunderstand," he insists, "Just because you don't have lots of words, it doesn't mean you don't have lots of drama. Movies have always been the great medium for dramatic action."

Boetticher, the prophet of action, is also a past-master at it in real-life. An all Big-Ten football lineman at Ohio State University, he wandered into Mexico upon graduation during the depression. There he met Manolete, the great matador, to whom he became apprenticed and developed himself into a full-fledged bull-fighter in the Mexican arenas. He made his bow in Hollywood as instructor in cape technique to Tyrone Power for the bul-fight sequences in "Blood and Sand." After a stint as assistant director he reached cinematic prominence with his direction of "The Bullfighter and the Lady."

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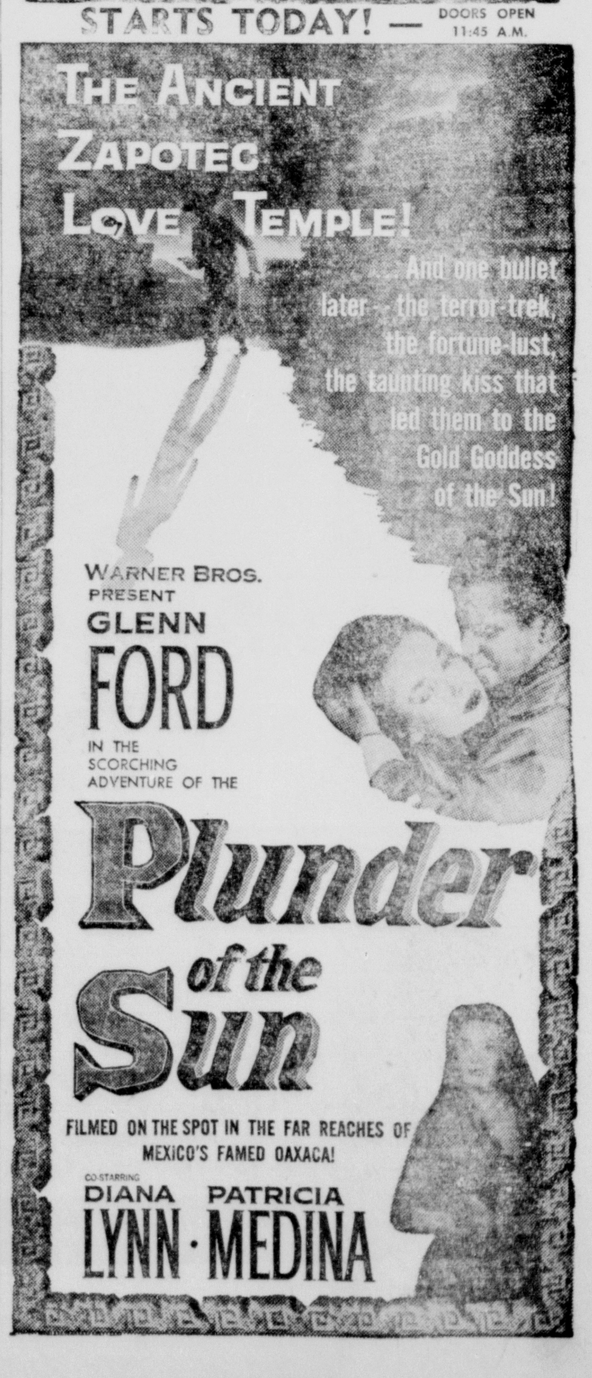

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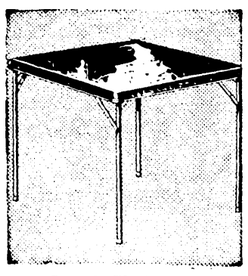

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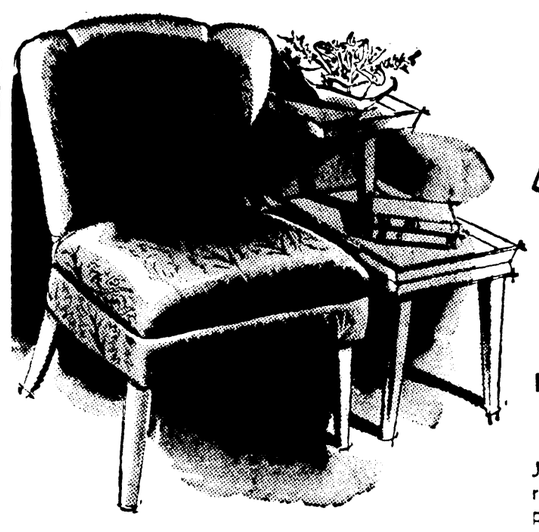

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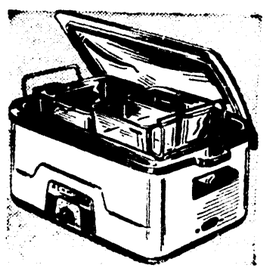

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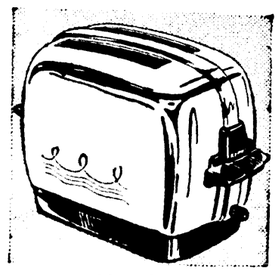

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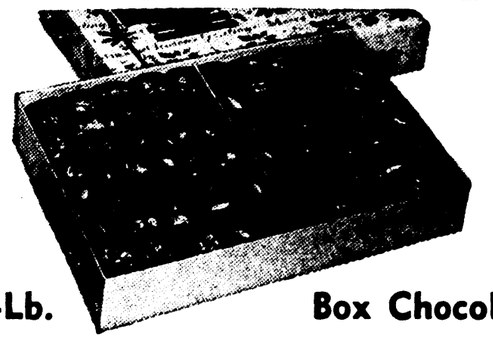

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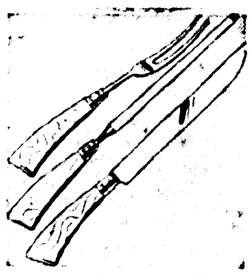

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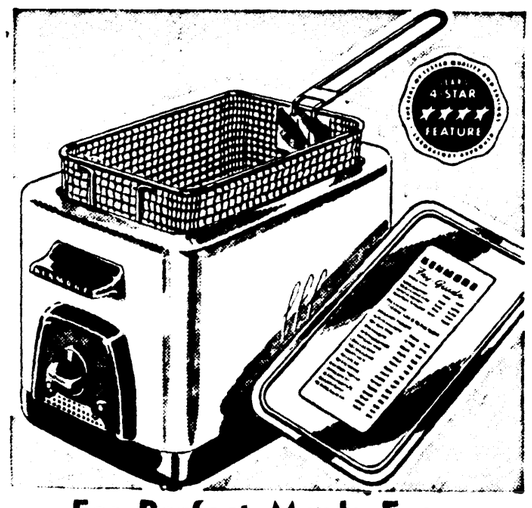

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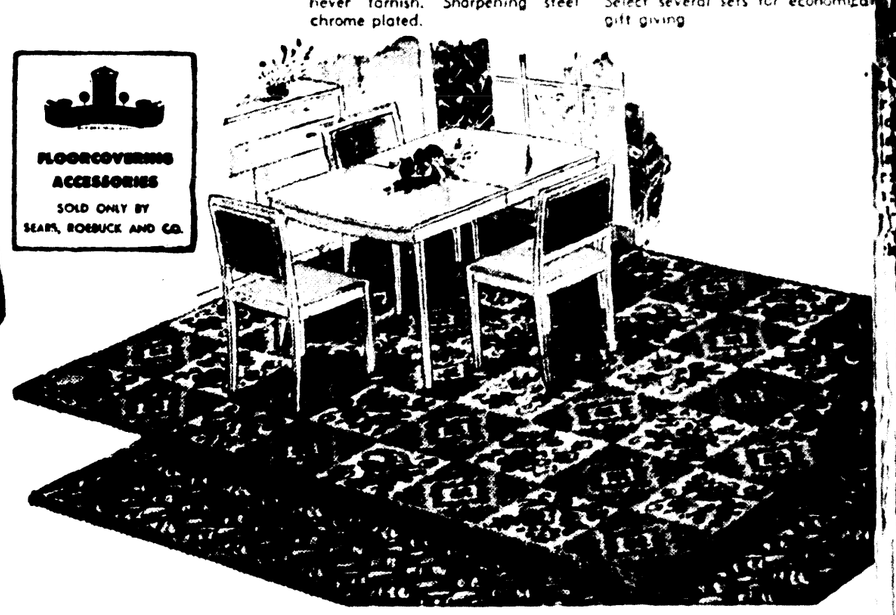

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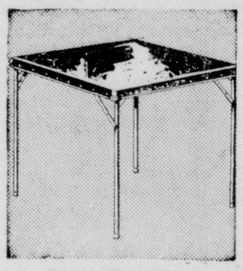

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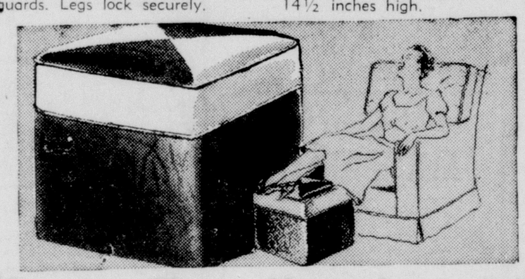

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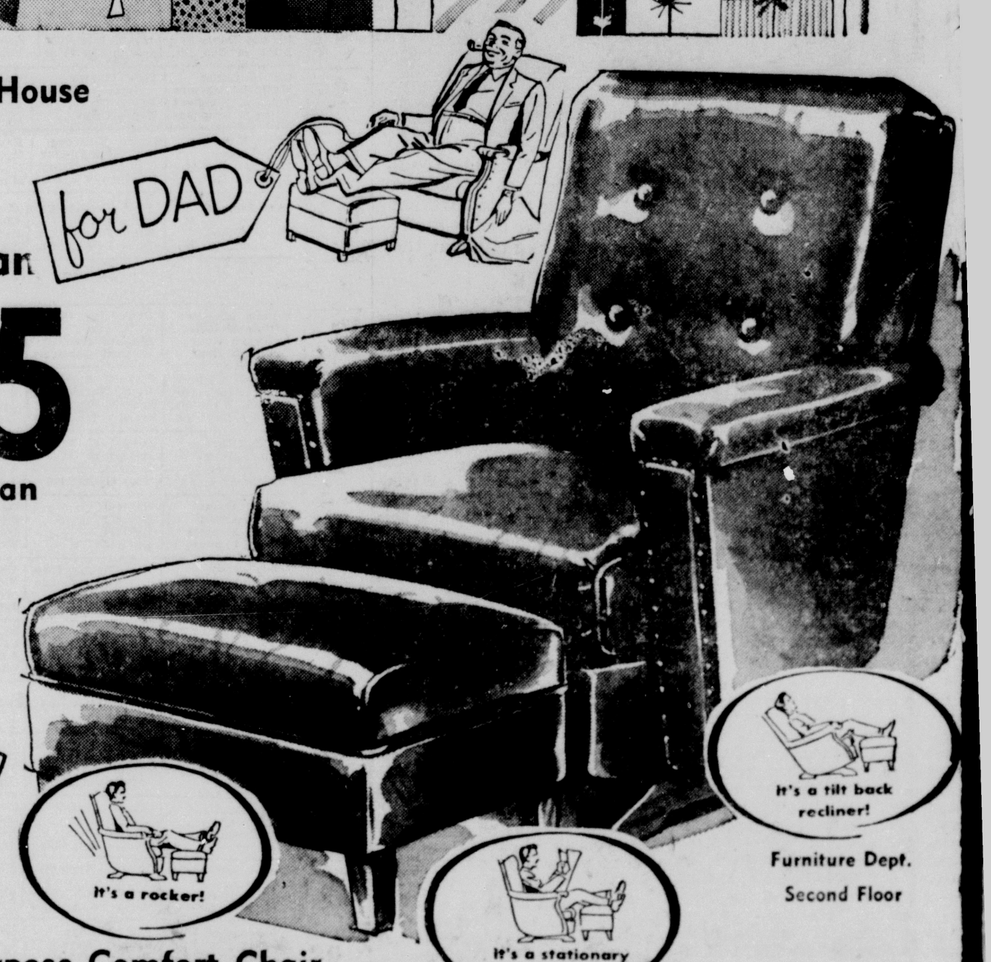

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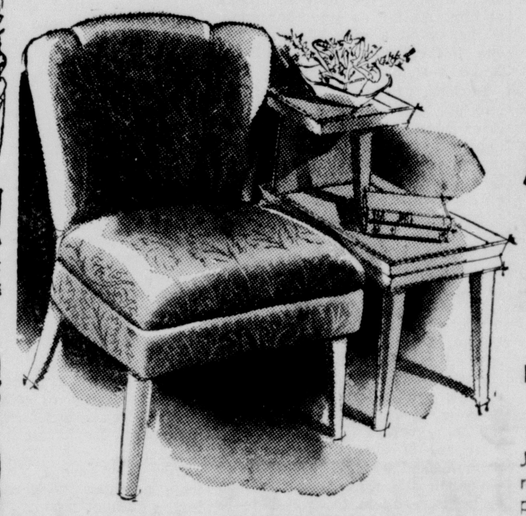

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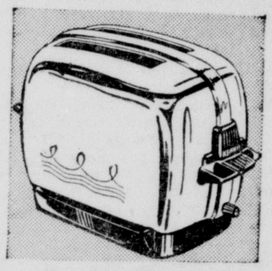

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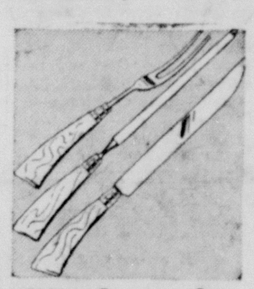

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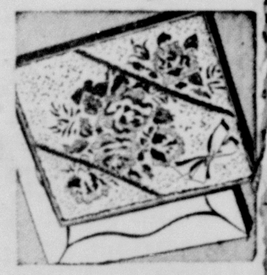

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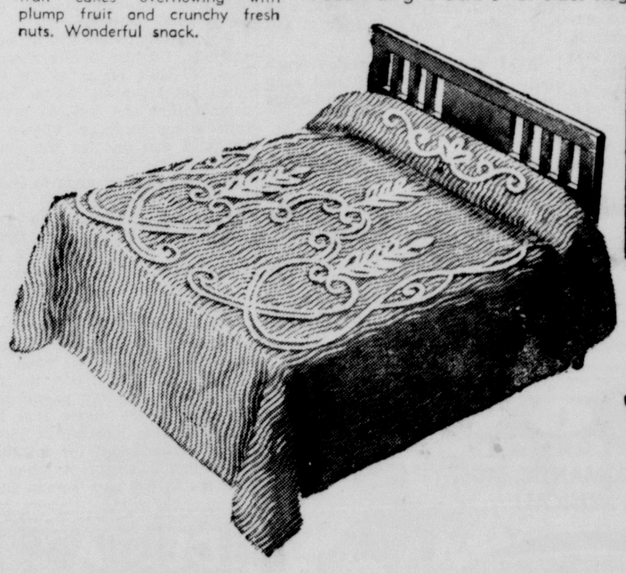

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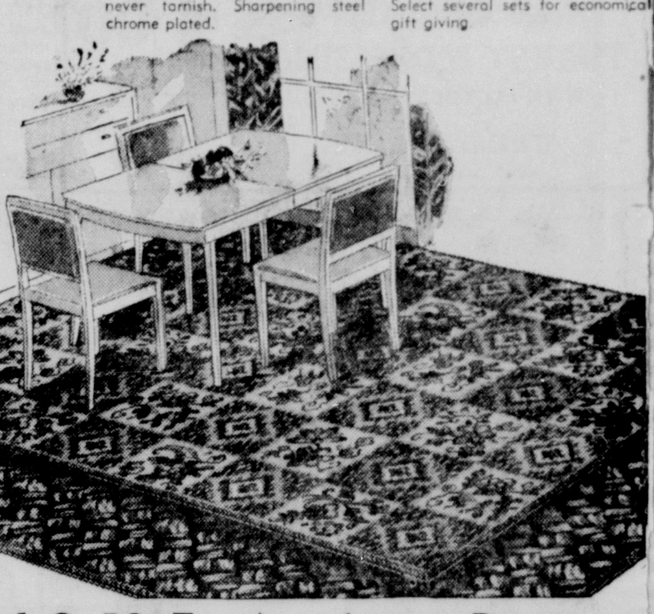

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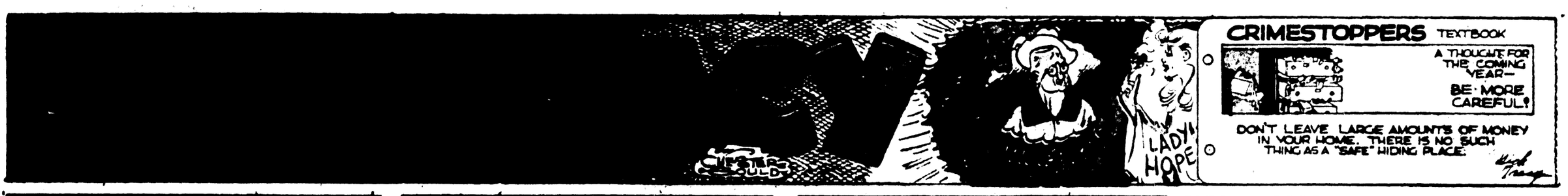

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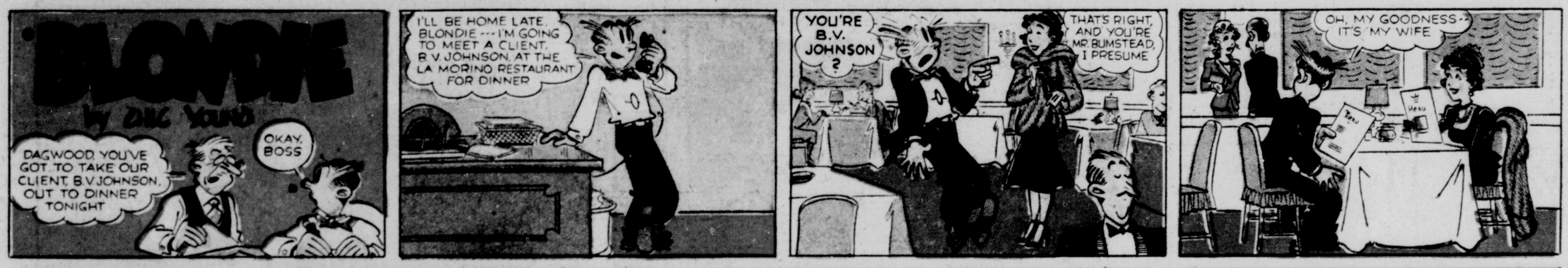

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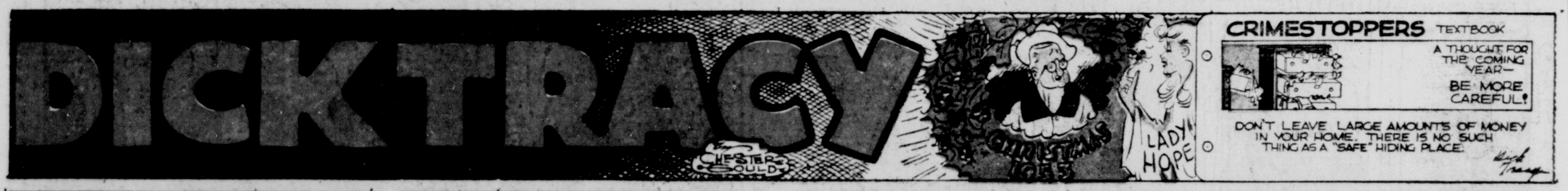

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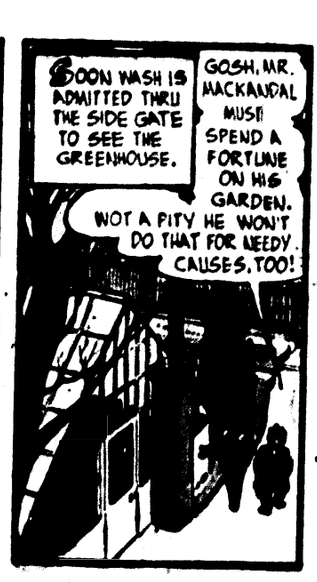

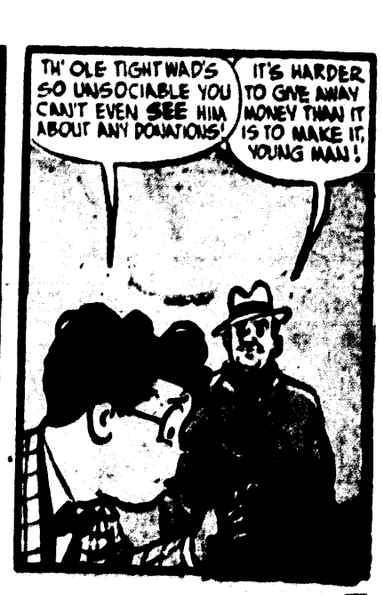

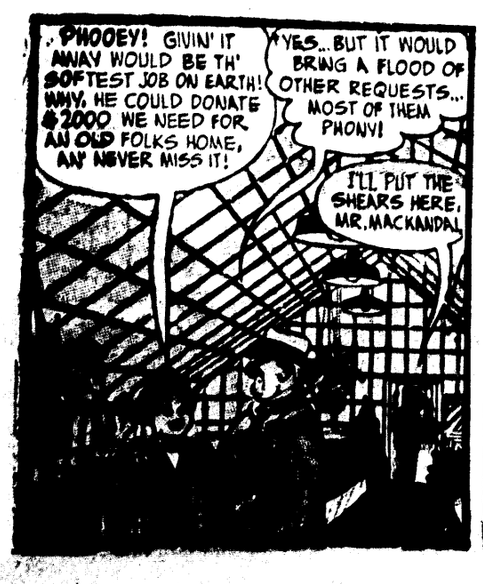

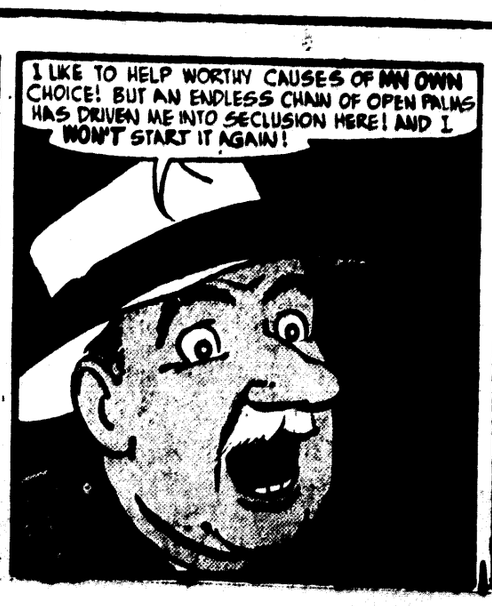

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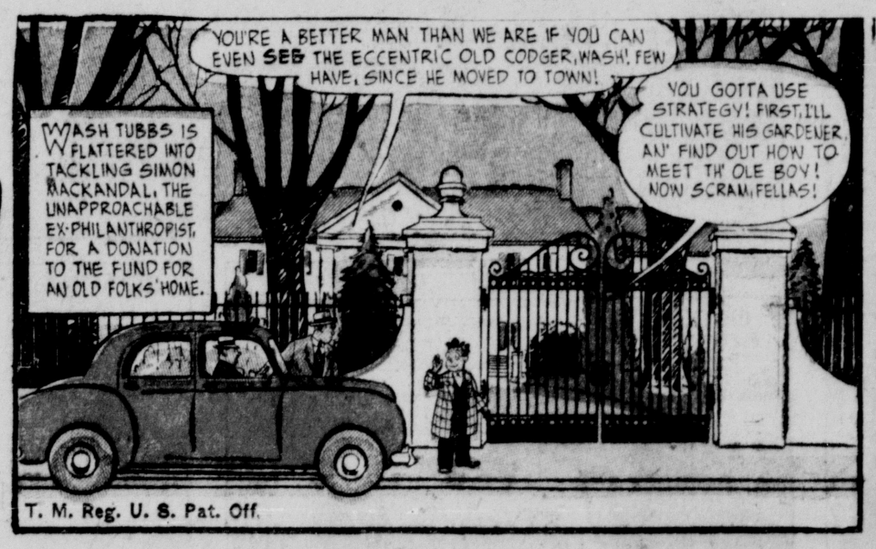

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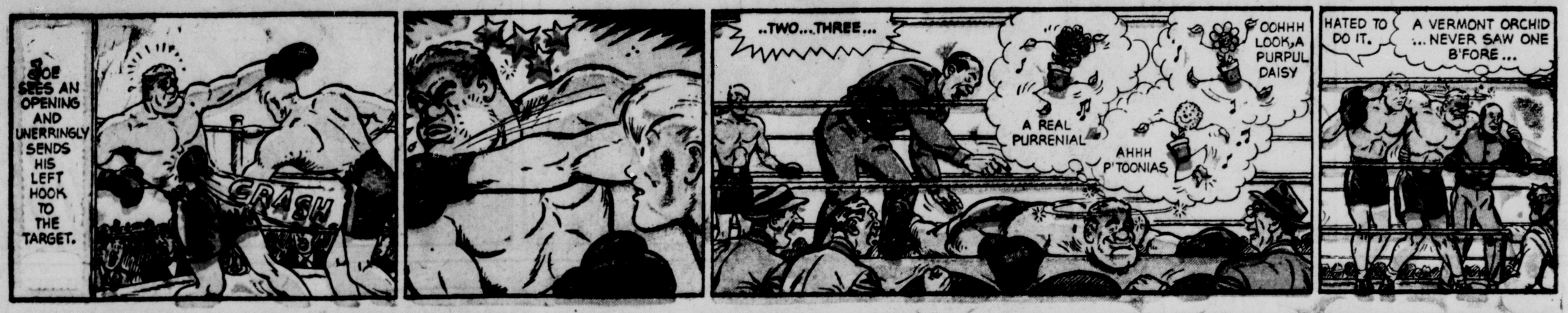

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WHOOP!

YIPPEE! I CAN HEAR IT! PLAY, CHILD! LOUDER!

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EEK! MY [illegible]!

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WIGGER 12-20

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WILSON McCOY 12-20

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BUZ SAWYER

Featuring His Pal **Rosco Sweeney**

by Roy Crane

I KNEW I WASN'T GETTING DEAF—NOWADAYS PEOPLE JUST MUMBLE! AND THEY DON'T PLAY AS LOUD AS THEY USED TO... THAT'S THE TROUBLE.

I JUST KNOW TWO PIECES, MR. SEALYHAM. WOULD YOU LIKE ME TO PLAY "SWEET AND LOW"?

WHOOP-KA-WHOOP!

YIPPEE! I CAN HEAR IT! PLAY, CHILD! LOUDER!

AND FOR MILES AROUND... HOOTY-HOO!

KA-WHOOP-HOOT-HOO!

EEK! MY FLOWERS!

DO SOMETHIN', HENRY! AIN'T YOU GONNA DO SOMETHIN'?

I'LL SAY I'M GONNA DO SOMETHIN'! WHERE'S MY SHOTGUN?

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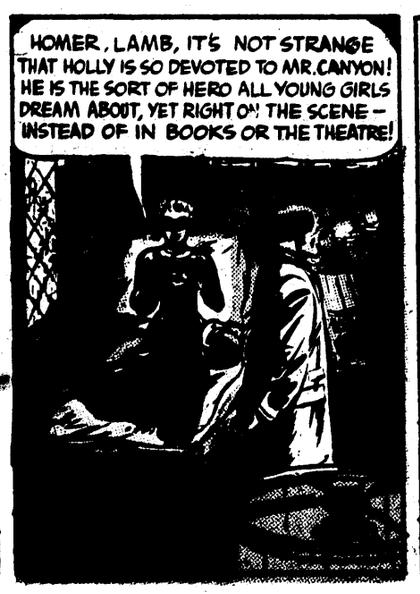

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CANYON

by MILTON CANIFF

WELL, GIL...THE FOREIGN SERVICE TAUGHT ME HOW TO HANDLE MOST CRISES—FROM REVOLUTION TO HOW TO KEEP STRIPED PANTS PRESSED IN THE JUNGLE...

...BUT I DON'T KNOW HOW TO COPE WITH MY OWN DAUGHTER! SHE IS BLITHELY PLANNING TO MARRY CANYON!

HOMER, LAMB, IT'S NOT STRANGE THAT HOLLY IS SO DEVOTED TO MR. CANYON! HE IS THE SORT OF HERO ALL YOUNG GIRLS DREAM ABOUT, YET RIGHT ON THE SCENE—INSTEAD OF IN BOOKS OR THE THEATRE!

MEANWHILE

HOLLY! WHAT ARE YOU DOING HERE?

SINCE WE'RE GOING TO BE MARRIED, I RECKONED IT WOULD BE PROPER FOR ME TO WAIT FOR YOU IN YOUR HOTEL LOBBY!

WELL, I'M GLAD TO SEE YOU, BUT I MUST MEET SOME PEOPLE—ON BUSINESS!

OH, ME—I THOUGHT YOU MIGHT TAKE ME TO LUNCH LIKE IN THE MOVIES WHEN PEOPLE ARE ENGAGED!

YOU COULD DO ME A FAVOR, HOWEVER! TAKE SOME CHRISTMAS CABLES TO THE TELEGRAPH OFFICE!

OH, I'D BE MIGHTY PROUD TO, STEVE!

HOW DID IT WORK, CANYON?

BETTER THAN I EXPECTED, MR. HALL! I WROTE A MUSHY CABLE TO EVERY GIRL I EVER KNEW!...

HOLLY CAN'T HELP READING THEM AS SHE TURNS THEM OVER TO THE CLERK!

I'M SORRY MY DAUGHTER HAS BEEN SUCH A PROBLEM ABOUT THIS MARRIAGE BUSINESS! THE CABLES WILL SHOW HER HOW FUTILE IT ALL IS!

LATER

YOU'RE SO QUIET, HOLLY, HONEY! ARE YOU UPSET ABOUT SOMETHING?

OH, NO, MOTHER DEAR! I'M JUST THINKING OF ALL THE GIRLS STEVE MUST HAVE KNOWN IN HIS LIFE—BUT I'M THE ONE WHO'S GOING TO MARRY HIM!

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BRINGING UP FATHER

by GEO McMANUS

JIGGS—MEET BILL HOOK—TH' EDUCATED PARROT—I BOUGHT HIM FROM "FLEECY" THE BOOKIE WHEN HE WENT TO JAIL—BUT NOW I'M GOING BACK TO SEA—SO I GOTTA SELL HIM—HE SPEAKS NINE LANGUAGES!!

YOU'RE BLUFFIN'—

HI-YA, BUSTER!

DOUBTFUL—EH—? OKAY—BILL—GREET JIGGS IN SPANISH—GERMAN—HUNGARIAN—FRENCH—ITALIAN—SWEDISH—CHINESE—AND POLISH—

BUENOS DIAS! GUTEN MORGEN—JO REGGELT—BONJOUR—BUONA MATTINA—GOD MORGON—HAW TYAN—DOBRO RANOW—

THAT'S GREAT—I'LL GIVE YOU FIFTY BUCKS FOR HIM!!

YOU OUGHT TO HEAR ME DO "MARY HAD A LITTLE LAMB" IN PORTUGUESE—AND LINCOLN'S GETTYSBURG ADDRESS IN POLISH AND FRENCH!!

KEEP TALKING—I'M TAKING YOU TO DINTY'S—I HAVE A SCHEME TO GET BACK ME FIFTY BUCKS—

WHO DO YOU THINK YER KIDDIN'? I SAY TH' BIRD DON'T TALK AN' I'VE GOT FIFTY BUCKS THAT SAYS SO—TOO!!

I WANT SOME OF THIS EASY CASH—I'LL BET HE DON'T TALK!

I'M IN FOR THIRTY—

YOU GOT ME FOR FIVE—

OKAY BOYS—IT'S A BET—

IF ME WIFE WUZ AS SILENT AS THAT BIRD—I'D BE HAPPY—

IF WE WAIT ANY LONGER HE CAN LEARN TO SPEAK—

TH' WAY HE WON'T TALK REMINDS ME OF FINNEY ON TH' WITNESS CHAIR—

THAT SILLY BIRD CAN'T EVEN SAY "AWK" LIKE OTHER PARROTS—

PLEASE SAY SOMETHING POLLY—

THIS WUZ TH' EASIEST MONEY I EVER MADE—

SO LONG—JIGGS! HA-HA!!

EMPTY—CLEAN—BROKE!!

HA-HA—NOW WE GOT TH' SUCKERS WHERE WE WANT 'EM!

HUH? NOW YOU TALK—AFTER THEY'RE GONE!!

YEH—BUT THEY'LL BE BACK TOMORROW—AND WE'LL GET TEN TO ONE ODDS THEN, STUPID!!

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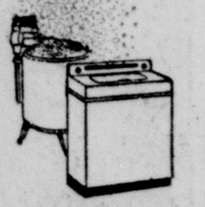

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YOU'LL GET A CHANCE TO TELL US ALL ABOUT IT—

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WONDER WHAT HE MEANS BY THAT—

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MOON MULLINS

by Frank Willard

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YOU'RE JUST THE TYPE I'VE BEEN LOOKING FOR.

THANK YOU, MADAM. NOW IF YOU WILL KINDLY GIVE ME YOUR NAME AND PHONE NUMBER.

SO!

HERE'S SOMETHING ELSE YOU CAN WRITE DOWN IN YOUR LITTLE BOOK, BUD.

JUST SAY IT'S VERY BAD FOR THE EYES TO GO AROUND COLLECTING MARRIED WOMEN'S TELEPHONE NUMBERS-

LARRY, LISTEN--

THANK HEAVEN, THE LITTLE LADY CONVINCED THAT THUG SHE WAS ONLY ENGAGING ME TO PLAY SANTA CLAUS FOR THE KIDS' CHRISTMAS.

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NOW, ALL YOU GOTTA DO IS CONVINCE MAMIE WHEN SHE SEES THAT PEEPER OF YOURS, UNCLE WILLIE.

-UMMM-

PERHAPS I CAN GET THE FELLOW TO COME EXPLAIN TO MAMIE THAT HE MADE A MISTAKE.

MAMIE'S ALWAYS GOT TO HEAR BOTH SIDES OF EVERYTHING.

EVEN A BASS DRUM?

WELL, I'M GONNA GO HOME, I'M HUNGRY.

I HEAR UNCLE WILLIE GOT HISSELF INTO A BIG JAM OVER SOME DOLL TODAY.

TELL ME ALL ABOUT IT, MOON. I NEED SOME MONEY TO DO A LOT OF CHRISTMAS SHOPPING.

IF ONLY MOON AND YOUR AUNT MAMIE WAS AS LITTLE AS YOU, KAYO, I KNOW WHAT I'D GIVE THEM FOR CHRISTMAS.

Willard

WHEN PANDORA HEARD THE SHARP WORDS BETWEEN JACK AND ROD ROCKET, SHE INTERVENED···

BOYS! SIT DOWN AND WE'LL HAVE A SOCIABLE ROUND ON TH' HOUSE!

LATER AT HOME:

GEE, DAD···OUR FLYIN' CLUB THINKS YOU'RE TOPS TO HELP US GET A PLANE KIT FOR XMAS!

I KNOW AN A AND E MECHANIC IN THE C.A.P. WHO WILL SUPERVISE YOU BOYS WHILE YOU BUILD IT···

BUILD IT

FLY IT

···I'LL TEACH YOU FELLOWS TO FLY IT ···AND YOU CAN GET A PILOT'S LICENSE WHEN YOU ARE 16!

OH, BOY— I CAN'T WAIT! SAY, DAD- WHO WAS THAT DAME WHO CALLED WHEN I ANSWERED TH' PHONE?

YES— WHO WAS THAT DAME AND WHERE ARE YOU GOING?

OH, IT WAS, ER··· THE INSPECTOR'S SECRETARY··· I HATE TO LEAVE, BUT·· ··INSPECTOR'S ORDERS··· SABLE!

I'LL BE GLAD WHEN THIS JOB IS OVER AND I WON'T HAVE TO ALIBI TO SABLE!

I DIDN'T DARE TELL SABLE THAT PANDORA MUST SEE ME ABOUT A MATTER OF LIFE AND DEATH!

···IT MIGHT BE SOMETHING THAT WILL HELP ME FINISH THIS CASE, AND AGAIN IT MAY BE A TRAP!

HERE'S TH'ADDRESS WHERE PANDORA SAID TO MEET HER! M-M-M- WHAT A DESOLATE LOOKIN' PLACE!

OH, JACK, I'M SO GLAD YOU CAME··· I HOPE NO ONE FOLLOWED YOU!

···I OVERHEARD TH' "ROCKET ROOM" LADIES' LOUNGE ATTENDANT TALKING ON TH' PHONE!

···I WAS IN MY DRESSING ROOM NEXT DOOR··· I HEARD HER SAY THAT YOU ARE MARKED FOR DEATH, JACK!

SO YOU HAVE ME RUSH 'WAY OUT HERE JUST TO TELL ME THAT!

JACK MOSLEY

12/20

WALT DISNEY

WELL··· IT SOUNDS LIKE A GOOD IDEA, ELLSWORTH!

SCHOOL OF SPEECH

YEAH··· I THOUGHT I'D TRY TO EDUCATE MY PALS!

OKAY, CLASS··· COME TO ORDER! WE'RE GOING TO TAKE A SHOT AT TALKING LIKE PEOPLE!

WE'LL START WITH THE WORD "HELLO." NOW TRY IT··· HEL-LO!

EH··· OH!

URGA AW

WAK WOH

UMPH OMPH

A LITTLE ROUGH YET, FOLKS··· BUT WE'LL SMOOTH IT OUT!

FINE! WE'RE JUST ABOUT READY TO TRY IT OUT ON SOMEONE!

EL-LO

OKAY, BOYS··· HERE'S OUR FIRST AUDIENCE! READY···? HEL-LO!

EL-LO EL-LO EL-LO

EEE--EEEE

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YOU KNOW ···I GOT A HUNCH THAT MAYBE ANIMALS WEREN'T MEANT TO TALK LIKE PEOPLE!

WALT DISNEY

MOON MULLINS

by Frank Willard

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YOU'RE JUST THE TYPE I'VE BEEN LOOKING FOR.

THANK YOU, MADAM. NOW IF YOU WILL KINDLY GIVE ME YOUR NAME AND PHONE NUMBER.

SO!

HERE'S SOMETHING ELSE YOU CAN WRITE DOWN IN YOUR LITTLE BOOK, BUD.

JUST SAY IT'S VERY BAD FOR THE EYES TO GO AROUND COLLECTING MARRIED WOMEN'S TELEPHONE NUMBERS-

LARRY, LISTEN--

THANK HEAVEN, THE LITTLE LADY CONVINCED THAT THUG SHE WAS ONLY ENGAGING ME TO PLAY SANTA CLAUS FOR THE KIDS' CHRISTMAS.

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NOW, ALL YOU GOTTA DO IS CONVINCE MAMIE WHEN SHE SEES THAT PEEPER OF YOURS, UNCLE WILLIE.

-UMMM-

PERHAPS I CAN GET THE FELLOW TO COME EXPLAIN TO MAMIE THAT HE MADE A MISTAKE.

MAMIE'S ALWAYS GOT TO HEAR BOTH SIDES OF EVERYTHING.

EVEN A BASS DRUM?

BAR

WELL, I'M GONNA GO HOME, I'M HUNGRY.

VAN

I HEAR UNCLE WILLIE GOT HISSELF INTO A BIG JAM OVER SOME DOLL TODAY.

TELL ME ALL ABOUT IT, MOON. I NEED SOME MONEY TO DO A LOT OF CHRISTMAS SHOPPING.

IF ONLY MOON AND YOUR AUNT MAMIE WAS AS LITTLE AS YOU, KAYO, I KNOW WHAT I'D GIVE THEM FOR CHRISTMAS.

Willard

WHEN PANDORA HEARD THE SHARP WORDS BETWEEN JACK AND ROD ROCKET, SHE INTERVENED···

BOYS! SIT DOWN AND WE'LL HAVE A SOCIABLE ROUND ON TH' HOUSE!

LATER AT HOME:

SMILIN' JACK

GEE, DAD···OUR FLYIN' CLUB THINKS YOU'RE TOPS TO HELP US GET A PLANE KIT FOR XMAS!

I KNOW AN A AND E MECHANIC IN THE C.A.P. WHO WILL SUPERVISE YOU BOYS WHILE YOU BUILD IT···

BUILD IT

FLY IT

···I'LL TEACH YOU FELLOWS TO FLY IT ···AND YOU CAN GET A PILOT'S LICENSE WHEN YOU ARE 16!

OH, BOY— I CAN'T WAIT! SAY, DAD— WHO WAS THAT DAME WHO CALLED WHEN I ANSWERED TH' PHONE?

YES— WHO WAS THAT DAME AND WHERE ARE YOU GOING?

OH, IT WAS, ER··· THE INSPECTOR'S SECRETARY··· I HATE TO LEAVE, BUT·· ··INSPECTOR'S ORDERS··· SABLE!

I'LL BE GLAD WHEN THIS JOB IS OVER AND I WON'T HAVE TO ALIBI TO SABLE!

I DIDN'T DARE TELL SABLE THAT PANDORA MUST SEE ME ABOUT A MATTER OF LIFE AND DEATH!

···IT MIGHT BE SOMETHING THAT WILL HELP ME FINISH THIS CASE, AND AGAIN IT MAY BE A TRAP!

HERE'S TH'ADDRESS WHERE PANDORA SAID TO MEET HER! M-M-M- WHAT A DESOLATE LOOKIN' PLACE!

OH, JACK, I'M SO GLAD YOU CAME··· I HOPE NO ONE FOLLOWED YOU!

···I OVERHEARD TH' "ROCKET ROOM" LADIES' LOUNGE ATTENDANT TALKING ON TH' PHONE!

···I WAS IN MY DRESSING ROOM NEXT DOOR··· I HEARD HER SAY THAT YOU ARE MARKED FOR DEATH, JACK!

SO YOU HAVE ME RUSH 'WAY OUT HERE JUST TO TELL ME THAT!

ZACK MOSLEY

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MICKEY MOUSE

WALT DISNEY

WELL···IT SOUNDS LIKE A GOOD IDEA, ELLSWORTH!

SCHOOL OF SPEECH

YEAH··· I THOUGHT I'D TRY TO EDUCATE MY PALS!

OKAY, CLASS··· COME TO ORDER! WE'RE GOING TO TAKE A SHOT AT TALKING LIKE PEOPLE!

WE'LL START WITH THE WORD "HELLO." NOW TRY IT··· HEL-LO!

EH··· OH!

URGA AW

UMPH OMPH

WAK WOH

A LITTLE ROUGH YET, FOLKS··· BUT WE'LL SMOOTH IT OUT!

FINE! WE'RE JUST ABOUT READY TO TRY IT OUT ON SOMEONE!

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OKAY, BOYS··· HERE'S OUR FIRST AUDIENCE! READY···? HEL-LO!

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UNCLE REMUS

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UNCLE REMUS AND THE TALES OF BRER RABBIT

JOEL CHANDLER HARRIS

MISTER GOOSE'S BEST TRICK IS MAKIN' A GOOSE OUTTA BRER RABBIT.

WAIT UP, BRER RABBIT-I IS GOT A NEW TRICK TO SHOW YOU!

TRICK? WHUT KIND IS IT?

IT'S A TRICK TO MAKE A LOTTA MONEY!

FUST, I NEEDS A $2.00 BILL TO MAKE THIS WURK...IS YOU GOT ONE?

I THINKS MEBBE SO...

THAR'S A $2.00 BILL... NOW SHOW ME TH' TRICK, MISTER GOOSE!

FINE. NOW, YOU WATCH CLOSELY.

IS YOU CONCENTRATIN', BRER RABBIT?

YEAH...I IS PLUMB FULLA CONCENTRASHUN!

NOW KEEP CONCENTRATIN' **REAL HARD**, BRER RABBIT!

I IS!

NOW TELL ME...WHICH ONE OF THESE TWO BILLS DID YOU GIVE ME...TH' $1.00 BILL...OR TH' $2.00 BILL?

WHY, I GIVE YOU TH' $2.00 BILL!

WELL, THANK YOU VERY MUCH, BRER RABBIT-YOU IS A REAL GENNERUSS CRITTER!

I THINK I IS BEEN SWINDLERIZED!

SUCKER GENNULLY CONCENTRATES ON BEIN' A SUCKER.

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BARNEY GOOGLE AND SNUFFY SMITH

by FRED LASSWELL ®

YORE BOY RUFE GITS OUT OF AGGERCULTURE SCHOOL THIS YEAR DON'T HE, LONZO ?

NOPE-- TH' TOM-FOOL IDJIT SIGNED UP FER TWO MORE YEARS OF BOOK L'ARNIN', SNUFFY

SAKES ALIVE !! HE MUST NOT BE 'OVERLY BRIGHT, LONZO

YEP--I WUZ ALWAYS AFEERED HE'D TAKE AFTER HIS MAW'S SIDE OF TH' FAMBLY

HE CLAIMS HE'S L'ARNIN' TO BE SOME SORT OF A **RES'ARCHIN' CHEMICAL CRITTER**

CHEMICAL RES'ARCHIN'? WHAT TH' DING DONG IS CHEMICAL RES'ARCHIN', LONZO ?

WAAL--A CHEMICAL RES'ARCHER--UH--HE SORTA RES'ARCHES AROUND IN CHEMICALS AN' SICH-LIKE--UH--HE LOOKS AT LEAVES AN' BUGS AN' SIPHONS COLORED WATER OFF IN LEETLE JARS AN'--

HMPH !!

YE'D THINK A FULL-GROWED MAN WOULD SPEND HIS TIME DOIN' SOME HONEST CHORE LIKE PLOWIN'--OR MOONSHININ'

WAAL--IF HE WANTS TO FRITTER HIS LIFE AWAY IN SICH FOOLISHMENT, I CAN'T HELP IT NONE

TWO GALLONS OF POLYGLOXYLIN METHALUBRIFOAM, SILAS--I CRAVE TO KILL OFF SOME BEETLE GRUBS

AN' YE BETTER FETCH ME A FIVE-POUND BAG OF THAT SOIL RECONVARTER, SILAS--HEXAPHENIUM BIDOXTROUS

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TIM TYLER'S LUCK

By LYMAN YOUNG and TOM MASSEY

STONES AND ARROWS HAVE BEEN USED FOR ATTACHING MESSAGES, BUT THIS ONE SENT BY SKYROCKET IS NEW TO ME !

READ IT, SIR...

IT READS: "YOU'LL FIND THE RECORD 300 YARDS EAST, AT SUNRISE — (SIGNED) CORBIN CHATWICK..."

CORBIN CHATWICK— WHY, I RECALL HIM ! AN ECCENTRIC SCIENTIST... PASSED THROUGH HERE WITH A SMALL CARAVAN ABOUT A MONTH AGO, ON A SECRET MISSION INLAND...

BUT WHY DID HE SEND THE STRANGE NOTE BY ROCKET WHEN HE WAS SO CLOSE TO THIS OUTPOST HUT ?

SPUD'S GONE TO INVESTIGATE— HE'LL COME BACK SOON WITH THE ANSWERS...

I COULDN'T FIND A LIVING SOUL OUT THERE, SARGE —

TYLER, IN THE MORNING YOU CHECK THE AREA AGAIN...

YES, SIR...

NEXT MORNING, AT SUNRISE...

299... 300 YARDS... THIS SHOULD BE ABOUT THE PLACE FROM WHERE THE SKYROCKETS WERE SENT UP LAST NIGHT.... OH-OH WHAT'S THAT AHEAD ?

A WOODEN CHUTE ! THE SKYROCKETS WERE LAUNCHED FROM IT ! HM- WONDER WHAT'S INSIDE THE LEATHER CASE ?

A RECORD-PLAYING TALKING MACHINE WITH A RECORD ALL SET AND READY TO GO — OBOY ! WAIT'LL SGT. EARLY SEES THIS !

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